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CONFIRMING POWERS OF THE NEW-YORK ALDERMEN.

LETTER FROM MAYOR HAVEMEYER AGAINST EMPOWERING HIM TO APPOINT TO OFFICE WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE ALDERMEN — INVESTIGATION OF THE NEW-YORK POLICE DEPARTMENT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

ALBANY, Tuesday, April 28, 1874.

This morning, in the Senate, no little excitement was occasioned by the following communication, which was read by the Clerk:

Hon. J. C. Robinson:

SIR: A bill is now before the Legislature, having been introduced in both the Senate and Assembly, by which it is proposed to change the present organic law of this City in one of its most important features. Under our charter, all heads of departments are appointed on the nomination of the Mayor and confirmation of the Board of Aldermen. This provision has always met my entire approval. In my judgment it is the best safeguard which can be provided against incompetent or improper officers being placed in charge of our public affairs.

By the bill referred to it is proposed, on the eve of the dissolution of the Legislature, and when it is impossible to give the matter that careful consideration which its importance demands, to vest in the Mayor the exclusive power of appointment, thereby depriving the Aldermen of the right they now possess of considering and passing upon the Mayor's nominations.

It has been rumored that this proposed change in our organic-law meets with my approval. The rumor is a pure fabrication. I am emphatically opposed to such change. It is wrong in principle, and the special purpose for which it is at present demanded ought to secure its defeat. To enact such a law would be to restore that system which in practice was found so subservient to the worst purposes of the corrupt ring under the administration of my predecessor. It is too well known to need repetition from me that to the operation of this system is to be attributed the enormous increase in the indebtedness and in the annual burdens of this City under which our tax-payers so severely suffer.

As Chief Magistrate of this City I should look upon it as a calamity if the Legislature at the dictation or request of any political party or set of politicians should change the laws of this City for the avowed purpose of furthering party ends and not the public good. I sincerely trust that the Legislature will avert this wrong by promptly rejecting the bill referred to. This communication I request that you will cause to be read to the Senate. A duplicate of the same I have forwarded to the Speaker, with a request that it be read to the House. Very respectfully yours.

W. F. HAVEMEYER, Mayor.

Under the rule the communication was laid on the table. Shortly afterward the bill referred to in it, coming up on its third reading, Senator Fox moved to recommit, with instructions to strike out the enacting clause, at the same time contending that since the receipt of Mayor Havemeyer's letter the Senate could no longer doubt that all branches of the Municipal Government were opposed to the passage of the bill under discussion. Senator Johnson made one of his usual dramatic efforts in favor of Senator Fox's motion, and read a letter from Thurlow Weed, which was addressed to the last Legislature, and in a general way disapproved of taking the confirming power from the Board of Aldermen. After a high-sounding denunciation of the action of the Republican Party in the matter by Senator Parmenter, and a long address by Senator Bradley, Senator Woodin, rising to reply, said that it was not his intention to waste the time of the Senate in long speeches. He simply wished to say that it was a mistake on the part of the minority, if they supposed that the bill under debate proposed to give absolute power of appointment to the Mayor. The power to be given was qualified, and related solely to filling positions which became vacant from causes other than an expiration of the term of office. Last year the Mayor and all the reform organizations of the City had been in favor of just such a clause in the charter. The resolution was intended as had been intimated by one or two Senators, and no radical change was to be made. The bill was then passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Booth, Cole, Connelly, Dickinson, Dow, Kellogg, King, Lowery, Madden, McGowan, Middleton, Robertson, Selkreg, Thompson, Tobey, Wagner, Wellman, Wood, Woodin—19.

NAYS—Messrs. Bradley, Coe, Fox, Ganson, Gross, Jacobs, Johnson, Ledwith, Lord, Moore, Parmenter, and Ray—12.

The Committee on Cities, of the House, this evening reported favorably the bill taking away the confirming power from the Aldermen, and reducing the number of Commissioners in the Police and Park Departments to four. The measure will probably pass the House to-morrow.

THE PROVISIONS OF THE BILL.

The following are the provisions of the bill as it passed the Senate:

SECTION 1. Section thirty-nine of chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled "An act to reorganize the Local Government of the City of New-York," passed April thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

The Police Department shall have for its head a board, to consist of four persons, to be known as Police Commissioners of the City of New-York, who shall, except those first appointed, hold their offices for six years, unless sooner removed, as herein provided. The office of the Police Commissioner of the City of New-York, whose term of office expires on the 1st day of May, 1874, is hereby abolished on and after said date; the Police Department, on the 1st day of May, 1874, shall be under the charge and control of four Commissioners, who shall perform all the duties and exercise all the powers now by law conferred or imposed upon the Police Department of the City of New-York.

SEC. 2. Section eighty-four of chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, entitled "An act to reorganize the Local Government of the City of New-York," passed April thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

This department shall be under the charge of a board, to consist of four members, who, except those first appointed, shall hold their offices for five years, unless sooner removed, as herein provided. The office of the Commissioners of Parks whose term of office expires on or after the 1st day of May, 1874, is hereby abolished on and after said date. The Department of Public Parks on and after the first day of May, 1874, shall be under the charge and control of four Commissioners, who shall perform all the duties and exercise all the powers now by law conferred or imposed upon the Department of Public Parks of the City of New-York.

SEC. 3. The Mayor of said City shall hereafter appoint, without the necessity of confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, a person or persons to fill any vacancy or vacancies which now exist or may hereafter occur from death, resignation, or cause other than the expiration of the full term in any office to which, by the provisions of the twenty-fifth section of chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, he is empowered to appoint by and with the consent of the Board of Aldermen.

INVESTIGATING THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Senator Booth introduced a resolution to the effect that a committee of three Senators be appointed to investigate the affairs of the Police Department of the City of New-York, and that they have power to send for persons and papers, and report next January. The resolution was adopted.

THE APPROPRIATION BILL.

The conference committee appointed on the part of the Senate in relation to the Appropriation bill were this morning instructed not to recede from their position in opposition to striking out the $125,000 appropriated for the State Academies.

QUICK TRANSIT.

The Third avenue and Vanderbilt schemes for rapid transit passed the Assembly to-day. Mr. Hamilton Fish protested in the strongest terms against their passage, and denounced the bills as being in the interest of monopoly and as containing provisions which precluded the idea of any one who supported them being actuated by pure motives. He distinctly charged that the passage of the bills would be ascribed by the people, and properly ascribed, to the use of money. A day of reckoning would come in November when the people would put the brand of disapprobation upon the faithless representatives who had betrayed their interests by leaving them at home. Mr. Blumenthal also energetically denounced the measures, while Mr. Lincoln, true to his record as the consistent and unflinching friend of monopoly, defended them, and said that, in his opinion, they afforded the only hope of securing rapid transit. The vote by which the Vanderbilt bill passed is as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Abeel, Alberger, Alvord, Beecher, Berri, Biglin, Braman, Brown, Burritt, Coffey, Carpenter, Cauldwell, Chadwick, Comstock, Denniston, Dickson, Ely, Foote, Goss, Griffin, Gurnee, Hanrahan, Hardy, Hayes, Hazelton, Healey, Herrick, Hiller, Hoag, Houghton, Hussey, Kirk, Kshinka, Landfield, Lawrence, Lincoln, Lynde, Mackin, Manley, E. Miller, Morey, Murray, Nice, Oakley, O'Callaghan, Patten, Petty, Philpot, Prince, Sanford, Schifferdecker, Shattuck, Simon, J. W. Smith, Snyder, C. S. Spencer, G. W. Spencer, Stephens, Stover, Taylor, Tewksbury, Thorp, Townsend, Vedder, Whalen, Witbeck, Winfield, C. B. Wood, P. Woods, Worth—71.

NAYS—Messrs. Badger, Barrow, Bassett, Batcheller, Bennett, Blumenthal, Bostwick, Cleary, Colahan, Coughlin, Daly, Davis, Deane, Eastman, Fish, Gregory, Hammond, Holden, Johnson, Lockwood, McAfee, McGroarty, McQueen, Phillips, S. G. Pope, Sloan, H. Smith, Stacy, Sullivan, Waehner—31.

The Third avenue scheme received 68 votes in its favor to 32 against.

THE GILBERT RAILWAY.

The Governor to-day signed the bill extending the time for the completion of the Gilbert Elevated Railway. This bill while going through the Houses met with strenuous opposition from the monopolists, and it is not, therefore, an unreasonable inference that it is the measure destined to give the people of the Metropolis the much-desired boon of rapid transit.

THE INFLATION VETO.

Mr. Spencer to-day called up his resolution tendering the thanks of the House to President Grant for his veto of the Inflation bill. Mr. Wechner opposed the passage of the resolution, and consequently it passed without a dissentient voice.

WARDEN TRACY'S CLAIM.

Owing, doubtless, to the exposure of the job in THE TIMES, the efforts of Warden Tracy's lobby to procure from the Subcommittee of the Whole of the Assembly a favorable report upon his bill proved ineffectual. It was to-day reported for the consideration of the House, but the committee had done better to report it adversely, and thus kill it off at once.

INSURANCE MATTERS.

Quite a number of very doubtful if not absolutely dangerous insurance bills were reported to-day adversely from the Insurance Committee by Mr. Wight.

THE EIGHTH DISTRICT CONTESTED SEAT.

The report of the Committee on Privileges and Elections in the contested seat case of Nachtmann against Scherman, awarding the seat to Mr. Scherman, was presented to-day. Messrs. Calahan and Blumenthal offered a minority report. Mr. Vedder in a brief and vigorous speech very effectively demolished the sophistries which constitute the staple of the minority report.

THE HEAD-MONEY BILL SPRUNG UPON THE SENATE.

The bill increasing the tax on emigrants to $2 50 a head, which was introduced early in the session, in the interest of the Emigrant Commissioners, and those who hold sinecures under them, was sprung upon the Senate this evening. Senators Booth and King were its advocates, and by their efforts it was ordered to a third reading. Senator Ganson opposed the scheme, in a forcible and logical speech. He denounced the extravagance of the commission, and contended that the passage of the bill would have the effect of driving the large English steam-ship lines, from whom great benefits were derived, to Philadelphia and Boston. A powerful lobby is here, pressing the bill.

THE INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION BILL.

Senator Madden, from the conference committee which was appointed on behalf of the Senate in relation to the Industrial Exhibition bill, this afternoon reported that they had decided to strike out the amendment which had been made in the Senate, and to recommend the passage of the bill in its original form. Senator Gross dissented. The amendment stricken out provided that the company should not be allowed to issue bonds until $1,000,000 of the capital stock had been paid in. The bill as it now stands repeals the act authorizing the City of New-York to extend aid to the company, and legalizes the issuing of bonds.

THE FINAL ADJOURNMENT.

Eighteen Senators stated in conversation to-night that nothing could induce them to vote in favor of changing the time fixed for the final adjournment. They say they would rather close the session without passing the Supply bill than extend their sittings after the 30th.

HARD WORK IN THE SENATE.

The Senate adjourned at 8:30 o'clock this evening for the purpose of attending the reception of its presiding officer, Lieut. Gov. Robinson. In order to make up for lost time this morning's session was extended until 3:30 o'clock, and the evening meeting commenced at 4:30.

THE SUPPLY BILL CONFERENCE.

The Conference Committee on the Supply Bill are at issue, and, it is said, will eventually agree to disagree, when, of course, another committee will have to be appointed. The subject of disagreement is the Senate amendment wiping out the various commissions for the erection of the new Capitol and other public buildings. The House committee are inflexibly opposed to this amendment. The lobby are indulging the hope that the failure to agree on the part of the committee will lead to a reconsideration of the resolution to adjourn on the 30th, but in this they will find themselves mistaken. The Speaker, who introduced the resolution in the House, and the leaders of the Republican Party in the Senate and House, are fully resolved that he session shall close on the 30th.

OTHER BUSINESS IN THE HOUSE.

The bill providing for the much-needed improvement of paving and sewering Worth street, introduced by Mr. Kirk, passed the House to-day.

"Skilled talent" sustained a defeat to-day in the passage of the bill introduced by Mr. O'Callaghan, directing the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company to extend its tracks to McComb's Dam. This bill was strenuously opposed by Messrs. Law and Hastings.

A bill was passed in the House, this evening, conferring extraordinary and unprecedented powers upon the Justices of the Peace of Buffalo. The act is denounced by many prominent Republicans as a huge job. Mr. Alberger introduced it. It will be probably killed in the Senate.

The ingenious gentlemen whom Mr. Alvord described as the worst lobby ever seen in Albany were made happy by the passage of their little bill, which the member from Onondaga championed and voted for. To be sure, "Old Salt" claimed that the bill has been amended so as to take the "job" out of it, but the fact is open to doubt.

The Charity bill introduced by Col. Spencer, appropriating a portion of the Excise fund to the aid of charitable institutions in New-York City, passed the House after some opposition from Messrs. Waehner and Blumenthal, who claimed that the local authorities should have the distribution of the funds.

The bill of Mr. Patten for the protection of life and limb, and which a member stated had nothing but its merits to recommend it, was opposed by Mr. Alvord and killed. The building trade, it is understood, engaged the "third house" to oppose the bill.

The act providing for the pavement of Fifth avenue passed the House. Mr. Coughlin opposed it, asserting that it was a job.

FUNDING THE CANAL DEBT.

The concurrent resolutions in relation to amending the Constitution by funding the Canal debt, was this evening ordered to a third reading by the Senate.

INMATES FOR THE ALBANY PENITENTIARY.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 28.—The following prisoners were received to-day at the Penitentiary here from the United States Court for Florida: Wm. Tyson, conspiracy, sentenced to three years' imprisonment; Cabbell Wynn, Peter Wynn, and John Phillips, conspiracy, two years each; George McCray, conspiracy, one year; Oliver G. Moore, maltreating a seaman, five years; James M. Gaskens, mail robbery, ten years. And also the following parties found guilty by the court-martial at Fort Columbus, N. Y.: Wm. Blackwell, Edward Waddin, John Stienback, and James Clark, for desertion, two years each; Frank A. Bosworth and Augustus E. T. Hoppe, desertion, one year each.

THE SOUTHERN FLOODS.

THE ALABAMA RIVER HIGHER THAN IN 1865—RELIEF FOR THE LOUISIANA SUFFERERS.

SELMA, Ala., April 28.—The Alabama River is now higher than the great flood of 1865, and is still rising. It is raining to-day.

THE MISSISSIPPI OVERFLOW.

MONROE, La., April 28.—The river has fallen an inch and a half during the past twenty-four hours, and the water is receding slowly in rear of the city. A light shower of rain fell last night, but the weather has been clear to-day. The steamer Garry Owen, which left Camden at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, reports the river falling all the way down. The water above is the highest ever known by two feet. Planters living below report thirteen miles of the river front out of water between Morrison's and Cuba, but the rear is all under water. Below is all overflowed. The mails for the east and west go by way of Shreveport.

NEW-ORLEANS, April 28.—The Captain of the steamer Iberia, in his report to-day to Mr. T. Tupper, agent for the Altakapos Mail Transportation Company, says: In coming from Bayou Teche today took a cargo of sugar, at Oaktown, direct from sugar-house purgery, on the bow of his boat.

All the Fausse Pointe is under water from seven miles above New-Iberia. The water of Grand Lake is only 150 yards from flowing over the east bank of the Teche. From the Atchafalaya to New-Iberia families are pouring in from all quarters and settling on the high lands. Most of the large plantations are abandoned on the east side of the Teche. Where 5,000 hogsheads of sugar would have been made, they now only hope to save seed.

Portions of the towns of Franklin, New-Iberia, and St. Martinsville are under water. The water is running over Morgan's Railroad for a distance of about twenty-five miles from Brashear. The streets of the latter town are covered with water.

Three men were drowned on Monday at the Pearl River crossing of the Mobile and New-Orleans Railroad.

Superintendent Scranton of this road says it will take thirty days to repair the damage caused by the recent flood, and get the road in thorough order.

The steamer Pargoud is expected here in the morning. She has 159 bags of mails shipped at Vicksburg, and supposed to include New-York dates from the 16th to the 19th.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 28.—The river is now stationary at this point, with no land visible, except portions of the railroad track, to Madison, Ark., a distance of forty miles, which may be given as the width of the river. There is no change to report in the condition of the railroads. The Memphis and Louisville route is still water-bound between Paris and Clarksville, while the Mississippi Central Railroad is still broken between Canton and Grenada. Passengers came through to-day from Little Rock by transferring at the washed places, but as a swift current of water crosses the track at several points it is uncertain how long communication can be kept up.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The following telegram was to-day sent to H. W. S. Lewis, Master of the State Grange of Louisiana:

WASHINGTON, April 28.

By order of the Executive Committee, I send you by express to-night $1,000 for the benefit of the suffering members of our order in Louisiana.

(Signed,) O. H. KELLEY,
Secretary of National Grange.

SIGNAL SERVICE REPORTS.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The Signal Service reports for the past twenty-four hours show that from St. Paul to La Crosse the Mississippi has fallen slightly, risen a few inches from that point to Warsaw, fallen a little between there and Cairo, with an average rise of one inch below that place to New-Orleans, where the water is now fifteen inches below the high-water mark of 1871. From Cairo down as far as Helena the river is higher than at any previous time during the present year, but at Cairo it is still six feet below the high-water mark of 1867, and at Vicksburg seven feet below that of 1862. The Missouri is falling steadily throughout its entire course, except at Omaha, where it has risen one inch. The Ohio has fallen at Pittsburg, risen from Marietta to Evansville, and fallen thence to its mouth; the greatest rise is at Cincinnati, where it has been four and a half feet. The Allegheny, Monongahela, and Cumberland have fallen steadily, while the Red River has risen two inches, but is still ten feet below the high-water mark of 1849.

RELIEF FOR LOUISIANA.

NEW-ORLEANS, April 28.—Among the contributions for the relief of the sufferers by the overflow are $1,000 from Washington City, $1,000 from Manchester, N. H., and $1,000 from Bath, Me. The Distributing Committee are working energetically, getting off supplies to all accessible points in the overflowed district where assistance is required.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 28.—Both branches of the City Council passed a resolution to-day appropriating $25,000 for the relief of the sufferers by the flood in the Mississippi Valley. The Mayor will undoubtedly approve the resolution to-morrow.

DR. LIVINGSTONE.

LETTERS FROM THE DECEASED EXPLORER RECEIVED BY HIS BROTHER IN CANADA.

LISTOWELL, Ontario, April 28.—Mr. John Livingstone, a resident of this place, has just received two letters from his brother, the late Dr. Livingstone, one of which is dated Manneura, or cannibal country, April and November, 1870, and the Lake Bragmeolo, December, 1872. The doctor mentions meeting with Stanley, whom he styles his good samaritan, sent by James Gordon Bennett, of the New-York *Herald*, and whose conduct while there was beyond all praise. The doctor finished his last letter by saying:

"If the good Lord above gives me strength and influence to complete the task I shall not grudge my hunger and toil. Above all, if He permits me to put a stop to the enormous evils of this inland slave trade I shall bless His name with all my heart. The Nile sources are only valuable to me as a means of enabling me to open my mouth among men. It is this power I hope to apply to remedy an enormous evil, and join my little helping hand in the great revolution that in His all-embracing providence He has been carrying on for ages, and is now actually helping forward."

THE MURDERER WALTZ—SEARCHING FOR THE BODY.

HUDSON, N. Y., April 28.—Waltz, the Catskill murderer, was taken to the farm very quietly this morning by the Sheriff and his posse, and he pointed out the spot where he alleges his first victim, an organ-grinder, was buried four feet under ground. The place is covered with water, and is being drained, preparatory to digging, in order to verify his story. An organ-wheel crank, oil-can, and a full suit of clothing, as well as the sponge with which, he says, he wiped up the blood, were found in the places which he designated. The digging for the body will be commenced as soon as the water is drained off. There seems now but little doubt that Waltz killed two men previous to the scissors-grinder.

WIFE-MURDER.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 28.—A man named O'Reilly, committed a murderous assault, last night, on his wife, a cripple, with her own crutch. She died during the night. He has been arrested.

THE VETO SUSTAINED.

ACTION OF THE SENATE YESTERDAY

ANXIETY OF THE INFLATIONISTS TO AVOID DEBATE—THE LATE MR. SUMNER AND THE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE BROUGHT IN.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The ghost of the veto message was successfully and somewhat unexpectedly laid by the Senate this afternoon. At one time it threatened to give a vast deal further trouble to those who have already been greatly disturbed by it. It was agreed upon almost unanimously, yesterday, that the vote should be taken without debate. There were not more than three or four Senators who had any disposition to bring on the bitter conflict that a speech to the merits of the question would have introduced, but there was a disagreement in the beginning as to whether the vote should be taken to-day or not till Friday, when Senator Schurz and Senator Washburn could be present. The undercurrent of bitterness was very clearly discernible in the wrangle that took place upon the proposition to leave the subject over till Friday. One Senator indicated a willingness to vote to-day without debate, and another would make a speech on the subject if it was postponed till Friday, and between the two it seemed for an hour or more that the debate so much deprecated would have to begin. Then there was a sensible speech by Mr. Sherman, and a humorous one by Mr. Carpenter, when the prospect of suppressing debate grew brighter, until finally the displacement of Mr. Sumner from the Foreign Relations Committee, and the posthumous publication of his suppressed speech, were thrown into the arena, and for a time the veto and finances were lost sight of altogether. The final effort made to secure unanimous consent for a vote without debate on Friday having failed by the objection of Mr. Merrimon, who has the vanity to regard the strangled bill as his own offspring, the question went to vote, first upon the postponement of the Louisiana bill to bring the Finance bill before the Senate, and next on the bill itself. Mr. Merrimon arose to his feet, and everybody supposed the dreaded debate was to begin, but instead the roll-call began, and the vote of Mr. Allison having been recorded, the opportunity for discussion went by, and the vote was taken. The vote disclosed a very full Senate, and stood 34 to 30, the majority being one less than on the passage of the bill, when the vote was twenty-nine to twenty-four. Several Senators who were then paired were present and voted to-day. The reduction of one in the majority was occasioned by the presence of Mr. Gilbert, of Florida, who was absent before, and not paired. Mr. Gilbert is a hard-money man, and voted against the bill. The inflationists wanted a vote to show that the veto had not frightened any of their number, and they succeeded in their purpose.

A DEBATE OUT OF ORDER.

The dragging of Mr. Sumner's name into the debate to-day, and the rehearsal of the incidents attending his displacement from the Foreign Relations Committee, is very severely criticised. The responsibility for introducing the subject belongs to Senator Thurman, who made one of the most eloquent speeches yesterday on Mr. Sumner's personal character. His provocation was the remarks of Mr. Edmunds, comparing the tolerance of differences by the Republican Party with the intolerance that had characterized Democratic Administrations. The debate gained close attention, as all such personal encounters do, but it cannot be said to have developed any new fact. Mr. Thurman contended that Mr. Sumner was degraded from his position by the influence of the Administration on account of his opposition to San Domingo, but several Senators showed that others who had opposed the San Domingo scheme with equal energy had not been degraded in consequence, and stated positively that Mr. Sumner's removal from the Foreign Relations Committee was caused by the personal differences that had grown up between himself and the Secretary of State and President. It was noticeable that no personal feeling of any kind toward Mr. Sumner appeared in the discussion, though the memorial ceremonies of yesterday came up in the minds of all who listened to the speeches to-day, which seemed exceedingly grotesque and untimely. The field is now clear for a candid discussion of differences regarding financial legislation, and there seems to be much better prospect for agreement than there has been at any previous time this session.

BILLS IN THE SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The published reports of a meeting of the Senate Finance Committee said to have been held yesterday are entirely without foundation of fact. No meeting of the committee took place yesterday, and none has been held since the Senate Finance bill was vetoed until to-day, and no action has yet been taken in regard to the House Currency bill, or any one of its features. This bill was, however, under formal consideration at a meeting to-day at which Controller Knox, on invitation of the committee, made an extended oral statement in regard to the anticipated effects of the various sections of the House bill on the city and country, bank reserves, &c. These statements will, in conformity with the request of the committee, be embodied in writing for use in the further examination of the questions involved. Another meeting will be held on the subject next Thursday.

CRIME IN GEORGIA.

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 28.—Two horrible crimes were committed by a negro convict named Henry Smith, near Station No. 10, on the Central Railroad, on Saturday, and were followed by swift retribution. Smith escaped from a gang of convicts hired out on a farm in Washington County, and attempted to rape a colored woman near Midville. He subsequently entered the house of a white man employed on the railroad. The man's wife being alone, the negro presented a gun at her, and she being helpless, he accomplished his diabolical purpose. The negroes in the neighborhood, hearing of the outrage on the colored woman, pursued the convict and captured him soon after, and before the second outrage became generally known. After investigation, the prisoner was committed to the keeping of the constable to be carried to the County Jail. Sunday morning twenty armed men forcibly took the negro from the custody of the constable. The report of fire-arms soon after heard in the swamp leaves no room to doubt that swift retribution followed the perpetration of the terrible crimes by the escaped convict.

Two negro women are to be hanged at Elberton, Elbert County, on Friday, for murder.

THE GRAND DIVISION SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 28.—The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of Western New-York met in quarterly session here to-day, Grand Worthy Patriarch Rev. E. F. Crane, presiding. There was a full attendance, and the reports of the officers showed the order in this jurisdiction to be in an increasingly flourishing condition, over forty divisions having been instituted during the past quarter. The Grand Worthy Patriarch in his report dwelt at length on the political duty of the Sons of Temperance, and emphasized the general hostility among temperance men to the renomination of Gov. Dix. His remarks on this subject were received with applause, and indorsed by an unanimous vote. A large public meeting was held this evening, which was addressed by the Grand Worthy Patriarch and by Rev. C. H. Meade, of Buffalo. The business session will be resumed at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

REPORT OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE JUDICIARY—PRAYER OF THE "TAX-PAYERS'" MEMORIAL DENIED.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Mr. Tremain, of the Subcommittee of the House Judiciary Committee, to-day made a report to the full committee on the memorial of the Tax-payers' Convention of South Carolina, asking for relief against alleged misgovernment in that State. A majority of that committee agreed to a report, which was presented to the House, ordered to be printed and recommitted to the committee. Mr. Eldredge, on behalf of the minority, will submit views maintaining that Congress should appoint a committee to investigate the condition of affairs in South Carolina. The majority of the committee say they cannot resist the conviction that the extraordinary condition of the people of South Carolina is owing in a great degree to the extraordinary events that have occurred, and the great changes that have been produced within the last few years, for which her present citizens or the majority thereof are not properly responsible, and which are beyond the reach and control of Congress. The committee refer in this connection to the late civil war and the organic changes in the Constitution of the United States, not for the purpose of reopening the wounds caused by the war, but because it is the duty of statesmen who are involved to apply a remedy to existing alleged wrongs to ascertain the nature, extent, and origin of these wrongs. The result of the war was the destruction of slavery and the loss to the slaveholders of that State of $250,000,000 of property invested in slaves. Then came the thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the Constitution, whereby the emancipated slaves became clothed with all the attributes of citizenship and invested with the rights of suffrage. The freedmen now constitute a majority of the people there, and political power has been transferred from their former masters to those who, while in a state of slavery, were denied all participation in the rights and privileges of American citizenship. Whatever evils may arise from placing political power in the hands of the freedmen, the responsibility for it rests not with them but with the people of the United States, they having adopted the amendments, and they alone having the power to change the Constitution. In the judgment of the committee the real grievances of the memorialists and those whom they represent relate to these changes in the Constitution. The colored voters of South Carolina are about 90,000, and the white voters about 40,000. Congress has no constitutional power to grant the relief which is asked by the petitioners. Although this objection was presented and fully discussed, the proposition was not controverted that Congress could not intervene in this case unless the power to act was conferred by some express grant in the Constitution, or was necessary to carry into execution some power that was conferred.

The committee say they are not able to discover the force of the claim made by the petitioners that they are suffering from the anti-Republican and odious oppression of a system of taxation without representation, and that Congress has no more right to interfere to disturb the State Government of South Carolina, or to invade the rights of her people, than to interfere with the States of New-York, Pennsylvania, or Illinois. The committee further answer the arguments of the memorialists, and say they are fully sensible of the delicacy and the importance of the matters presented for their consideration. They would not withhold any constitutional aid which can be extended to the lives, liberties, or property of any citizens, but they are unwilling to usurp unauthorized authority to accomplish such results. The committee say they have confidence in the final success of the great changes that have been wrought in favor of the African race in this country from the intelligence and capacity exhibited by their Representatives in Congress, and by those who appeared before the committee; they feel assured they can if they will establish their rights to the confidence of the country. It is hoped that with the eagerness they display to avail themselves of its benefits they will be found fully equal to the dignity and duties of their newly-acquired citizenship. It is believed that by the mutual interchange of kind and friendly intercourse, and by the employment of all the means which are found sufficient in other States, the existing evils in the administration of the affairs of South Carolina may be remedied by the people themselves. The committee, therefore, report a resolution that the prayer of the memorialists be denied and the committee discharged from the further consideration of the subject.

ROBBERY OF A POST OFFICE.

A POST OFFICE AND SAVINGS BANK BROKEN INTO—UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO OPEN THE BANK SAFE.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 28.—The Post Office in Collinsville, in Hartford County, was broken into Monday night, and robbed of a small amount of money and stamps. In the same building, overhead, is the savings bank, and the burglars got in there and made an effort to break open the safe, but were unsuccessful. The operators are supposed to be the same gang that have committed burglaries recently at Moodus, and other places.

ARREST OF ONE OF THE SUSPECTED BURGLARS.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 28.—On the arrival of the Naugatuck train here this morning Officer Arnold, on duty at the depot, arrested a man on suspicion of being implicated in the burglary of the Post Office and a savings bank at Collinsville last night. He had a large jimmy in his possession, and only submitted to an arrest after offering a stout resistance, and threatening to shoot the officer with a heavy English revolver, which he carried in his hand, and continually brandished in the officer's face. He refused to give his name, but has all the appearance of a genuine cracksman. He also refuses to give any account of himself, and has about $300 in cash in his possession. The burglars also stole a team from the Collins Company's stables at Collinsville, with which they drove off, leaving a bag of burglars' tools behind. They secured about $10 by their robbery of the Post Office.

LOSSES BY FIRE.

A fire broke out, yesterday morning, in the stables of the Kingston Hotel, Ottawa, Canada, and spread rapidly to the adjoining buildings on York and Clarence streets, crossing to the west side of York street. The following buildings were burned: Kingston Hotel, Market Hotel, Forfar's agricultural warehouse, McDonald's auction rooms, Groulx's tin shop, Murphy's shoe store, Lamontagne, watchmaker; Heney's harness shop, McDennell & McDougall, grocers; Barrett's saloon, Hurley's grocery, Kilby's saloon, Caledonia Hotel, and Johnson House. Loss about $100,000.

The European and North American Railroad bridge at Mattawankeag, Me., was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. It was 450 feet long, and was one of the best on the line.

The Imperial Straw Works on St. Peter street, Montreal, were destroyed by fire on Monday night. Loss about $30,000.

THE WISCONSIN RAILROAD LAW.

MILWAUKEE, Wiss., April 28.—The new Railroad law was published officially to-day, and by that publication goes into effect. The three Commissioners have not been appointed, and there is doubt as to whether they will before the Legislature meets next Winter, as the point is raised that they could not legally assume their duties until confirmed by the Senate. The Milwaukee and St. Paul and Wisconsin Central Companies have adopted a new tariff of rates, but do not comply with the laws. The companies will address a letter to the Governor, setting forth their reasons for refusing to obey the law, and embodying the opinion of eminent counsel that it is unconstitutional. With this they will leave the question to be determined by the courts.

THE FREEDMAN'S SAVING BANK.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—Frederick Douglass President of the Freedman's Savings Bank, says depositors need give themselves no uneasiness, and should not dispose of their claims at a sacrifice. Those employed at the bank assure him that if depositors will be patient for a very short time the bank and its branches will be able to pay dollar for dollar.

Since yesterday morning not more than fifty depositors of small amounts have applied to the Freedman's Savings Bank for the withdrawal of funds. In all other respects the business is progressing as usual.

STATEMENT OF THE BANK OFFICIALS IN ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 28.—The officers of the Freedman's Bank here deny being involved in the reported trouble of the Freedman's Bank in Washington. They also assert that private dispatches received to-day state that the report of the failure of the Freedman's Bank in Washington is without foundation, and only started for political purposes.

THE BRANCH IN PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28.—An officer of the Freedman's Savings Bank in this city (a branch of the bank in Washington) stated to-day that the news from Washington had caused some little apprehension among the depositors here, but if they would act with reason nothing was to be feared, as the bank has ample funds with which to meet all ordinary demands. He further said that if the depositors should start anything like a run on the bank, the sixty days' notice clause of the charter would be brought into requisition as a necessary measure of safety.

A HEAVY RUN ON THE CHARLESTON BRANCH.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 28.—There was a heavy run on the Freedman's Saving Bank here today. At first the depositors were paid in full, but, as the run continued, the bank paid the latter twenty per cent. of their deposits, and required sixty days' notice for the balance.

The deposits in the bank on April 1 were $256,000. About $5,000 was paid to the depositors to-day.

THE RUN ON THE NEW-YORK BRANCH—PAYMENTS LIMITED TO FIVE DOLLARS EACH.

The run on the Freedman's Savings Bank, in Washington, telegraphed to this City early on Monday afternoon, and the subsequent enforcement of the rule requiring sixty days' notice, has had comparatively little effect on the depositors in the branch institution at No. 186 Bleecker street. On Monday the total amount of withdrawals up to 8 P. M. was 100, aggregating $15,000 in all, an average of $150 apiece. At 6 o'clock the sixty days' rule was put into operation, and demands looking like a premeditated run refused. Yesterday all payments were limited to $5, only the poorer class of depositors receiving even this. The total number visiting the bank was between 150 and 200, less than forty of whom gave notice of withdrawal. Twenty-two of the poorer applicants received $5 apiece, the large majority of the visitors contenting themselves with inquiries as to the condition of the institution. The deficiency, which is generally regarded as being caused by an injudicious system of loans on Washington real estate, is estimated at $200,000, a considerable portion of which will be covered by unclaimed deposits. Investments in other than United States securities were forbidden by the original charter. This provision, however, was abrogated by the amendment of May 6, 1870, permitting investments "to the extent of one-half its deposits in bonds or notes secured by mortgage on real estate in double the value of the loan." The amount thus loaned on Washington real estate is nearly or quite $2,000,000, the total deposits, by the report of 1873, being $4,000,000. All the property thus mortgaged is among the most valuable in the national capital, and considered by the officers of the bank as fully equal to all claims liable to be brought against it. The manager, Mr. Samuel L. Harris, is confident that, with suitable forbearance on the part of the depositors, the amount of deficiency, if any, will not exceed six or seven per cent. In case Congress comes to the rescue of the institution, which is considered quite likely, the ultimate loss will be still less. The entire amount of deposits at the Washington Bank and its branches—thirty-four in number—is between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000, of which $300,000 is due the 3,000 depositors in this City. The exact figures cannot be given, as the detailed report of 1874 is in the hands of Congress, to whom it has just been submitted by the Controller of the Currency.

THE WEATHER.

SYNOPSIS AND PROBABILITIES.

WASHINGTON, April 29—1 A. M.—The low barometer on Monday night, central over Western Kentucky, has developed into quite a severe storm, and moved eastward to the eastern portions of Virginia and North Carolina. Cloudy weather is now prevailing over New-England, and north-east winds, rain, and snow over the Middle States, with fresh and brisk north to east winds, and high, on the coast. The winds have shifted to south-easterly over Eastern Dakota, with rising temperature and partly cloudy weather. The Ohio River has continued rising from Marietta to Louisville. The Mississippi remains nearly stationary, and the Missouri, below Omaha, has fallen.

PROBABILITIES.

For New-England, fresh and brisk east to north winds, probably high on the coast, cloudy weather, and rain or snow.

For the Middle States, fresh and brisk north to west winds, and clearing weather over the western portion during the morning, and over the eastern portion during the evening.

For the South Atlantic States, winds veering to west and north, with clear and clearing weather.

For the lower lake region, winds shifting to north and west, with clear and clearing weather.

For the upper lake region, winds veering to east and south, rising temperature, and clear or partly cloudy weather.

For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, clear and clearing weather, with north to west winds.

Cautionary signals continue at Washington, Norfolk, Cape Henry, Baltimore, Cape May, Peck's Beach, Atlantic City, Barnegat, Squan Beach, Long Branch, Sandy Hook, New-York, New-Haven, New-London, Wood's Hole, Cleveland, Erie, Buffalo, and Oswego, and are ordered for Boston.

DECORATION DAY—ALL SOLDIERS' GRAVES TO BE DECORATED.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

CHICAGO, April 28.—The Decoration Association of Illinois resolved to-night that no distinction should be made in their selection of the graves to be strewn with flowers on Decoration Day. A number of Confederate soldiers lie buried in this vicinity, and their resting places will receive the same kind attention as will the graves of the Union heroes.

SENATOR SCHURZ.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 28.—Parties here in a position to know say the report that Senator Schurz will take editorial charge of a newspaper in New-York, after the expiration of his term, is not true.

THE NEW GOVERNOR OF MASSACHUSETTS.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 28.—Lieut. Gov. Talbot passed through Springfield this evening on his way home from Texas, and informed a *Republican* reporter that he will appear at the State-house to-morrow, ready to assume the Governorship.

LATEST NEWS BY CABLE.

GREAT BRITAIN.

FALL OF THREE BUILDINGS IN LONDON—SEVERAL PERSONS CRUSHED.

LONDON, April 28.—Three buildings in Newgate street fell to-day. Several persons were crushed in the ruins.

The weather throughout England to-day is fair.

THE TURF.

FIRST DAY OF THE EPSOM SPRING MEETING—ALDRICH THE WINNER OF THE CITY AND SUBURBAN HANDICAP.

LONDON, April 28.—The Epsom Spring meeting commenced to-day. The race for the City and Suburban Handicap was won by Aldrich. Minister was second, and Oxford Mixture third. The final betting was 33 to 1 against Aldrich, 14 to 1 against Minister, and 10 to 1 against Oxford Mixture. There were nineteen starters. The following is a summary.

The City and Suburban Handicap of fifteen sovereigns each, ten forfeit, and only five if declared by noon Feb. 3, with 200 sovereigns added; the owner of the second horse to receive fifty sovereigns out of the stakes; about one mile and a quarter; (114 subscribers, thirty-six of whom pay five sovereigns each.)

Lord Roseberry's b. c. Aldrich, (late The Teacher,) by Lecturer, out of Lady Lotty, 3 years old... 1
Mr. Lefener's b. c. Minister, by Prime Minister, out of Crucifixion, 3 years old.................. 2
Mr. Somerville's gr. f. Oxford Mixture, by Oxford, out of Irish Belle, by Kingston, 4 years old.... 3

GERMANY.

THE PRUSSIAN BUDGET.

BERLIN, April 28.—The Prussian Minister of Finance reports a surplus of 21,000,000 thalers for 1873.

FRANCE.

BALL IN PARIS IN AID OF THE ENGLISH BENEVOLENT FUND.

PARIS, April 28.—A ball was given to-night at the Grand Hotel for the benefit of the English Benevolent Fund. Minister Washburne and nearly all the members of the American and British colonies in Paris were present.

THE ACHEENESE WAR.

TWO INDECISIVE BATTLES AND ANOTHER ENCOUNTER DAILY EXPECTED.

THE HAGUE, April 28.—A dispatch from Pedang reports that two battles took place between the Dutch forces and the Acheenese, one on the 11th and the other on the 16th inst., without decisive results. Another battle was daily expected.

DETAILS OF THE RECENT FIGHTS.

ACHEEN, April 25, via THE HAGUE, April 28.—In the battle of the 11th, 8,000 natives made a general attack on the Dutch positions, but were unsuccessful at all points. On the 16th they attempted to carry the works at the Kraton by assault, and were driven back with great slaughter after eight hours' fighting.

All the Dutch forces, with the exception of a garrison of 2,500 men in the Kraton, will return to Java on the 26th inst.

CHURCH TROUBLES.

DR. SWING, OF CHICAGO, TO WITHDRAW FROM THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

CHICAGO, April 28.—The *Times* of to-morrow will publish an article announcing the fact that Prof. David Swing the Presbyterian clergyman lately charged with heresy by Prof. Patton, is preparing a letter of withdrawal from that religious body. In a letter published in THE NEW-YORK TIMES of last Sunday, these charges were referred to in detail. They were presented at a recent meeting of the Presbytery, and at a subsequent meeting of that body the witnesses were cited to appear and give evidence on Monday next. The Presbytery then adjourned until that time. Prof. Swing is said to be preparing his letter to be read before the Presbytery on that occasion. The Professor is a conscientious clergymen, and, believing that his doctrines are objectionable to some members of his church, he has concluded to withdraw from it and sever his connection with the Fourth Church, with which he has been associated for so many years. But it is doubtful if this latter step will be permitted him. The members of his church are undivided in their loyalty, and if he leaves they will follow him.

BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.

The internal revenue receipts yesterday were $202,659.

The corner-stone of Pio Nono College will be laid at Macon, Ga., next Sunday.

The Selma, Rome and Dalton Railroad is to be sold by a decree of the Chancellor, June 30.

The House Committee on Appropriations have completed the Pension bill, appropriating $29,000,000.

It snowed in Hartford, Conn., from 2 P. M. yesterday till late at night, the snow melting as it fell.

A north-east snow-storm prevailed along the Hudson yesterday and last night, detaining all boats, and making navigation dangerous.

Alexander Campbell, a leading citizen and merchant of Watertown, N. Y., and recently appointed Postmaster, died there at noon yesterday.

There was heavy rain in Augusta, Ga., yesterday. The crop accounts from the State at large are discouraging, owing to the continuous rain and the overflow.

The severe wind and snow-storm of Sunday at Shenandoah, Penn., was followed by a heavy snow-storm yesterday, when snow fell two inches deep.

The eulogy on Charles Sumner, under the auspices of the State of Massachusetts, will be delivered in Music Hall, Boston, on the 9th day of June, by George W. Curtis.

Vice President Wilson, now in Washington will leave for Massachusetts on Friday. He contemplates a trip to California for the benefit of his health, which he represents is improving.

The heaviest storm of the Winter occurred in the vicinity of Fort Wayne, Ind., Monday night. Snow fell to a depth of ten or twelve inches on a level. So far as heard from, fruit is uninjured.

The Good Will Hose Company of Trenton, N. J., arrived in Boston yesterday, and met with a cordial reception from the firemen of Boston. The visitors were entertained last night with a banquet at Amory Hall.

Stephen Hood, colored, convicted last December of murdering his step-son, Greenbury Hood last July, is to be executed to-day in Cleveland Ohio. Since his conviction he has persistently declared his innocence of any knowledge or participation in the crime.

PENNSYLVANIA BANKERS ON FINANCE.

ALLENTOWN, Penn., April 28.—The Associated Banks of Eastern Pennsylvania met in Bethlehem to-day. The association comprises about 100 national banks, located east of the Alleghanies, in this State. The following resolution was passed:

"This association favors a modification of the National Currency act so as to authorize free banking under reasonable restrictions, allowing circulating notes equal to the current market value of bonds pledged for their redemption, not exceeding their face value and such change in the law relating to reserves as will render the same flexible and available for use in times of great stringency."

FORTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION—April 28.

SENATE.

Mr. HAMLIN, of Maine, from the Committee on Mines and Mining, reported back the bill supplemental of the act to promote the development of the mining resources, with a recommendation that the committee be discharged from its further consideration, and that it be referred to the Judiciary Committee, and it was so referred.

THE LOUISVILLE AND PORTLAND CANAL.

Mr. STEVENSON, of Kentucky, presented a preamble and resolutions of the Louisville and Portland Canal Company, denying that they were opposed to the Government paying bonds and taking possession of the work, but that they were legally advised not to surrender possession until all debts be paid by the Government. They further stated that the receipts of the company for the past nine years had been but little over $169,000, instead of $350,000 per annum, as stated in the Senate.

Mr. STEVENSON said he had no desire to do the Directors any wrong, as they were gentlemen of the highest respectability, but the company had never communicated any facts on the subject to either his colleague or himself. He reiterated his statements regretting that the company had interposed any objection to the Government taking control of the work. The resolutions were laid on the table.

POLITICAL DISABILITIES.

Mr. EDMUNDS, of Vermont, from the Judiciary Committee, reported favorably on the bills to remove the political disabilities of H. H. Sibley, Thomas M. Jones, Dabney H. Maury, Van R. Morgan, and Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia; John J. Julius Guthrie, of North Carolina; Wm. G. Jones, of Alabama; and C. D. Anderson, of Texas, all of which were placed on the calendar.

He also reported unfavorably on the bills to relieve the political disabilities of J. W. Bennett, of Maryland; John Forsyth, of Alabama; George Pickett, of Virginia; David A. Telfair, of North Carolina, and Raphael Semmes, of Alabama. Most of those bills did not have the necessary petitions from the parties named, and the latter one the committee was not disposed to consider favorably. However, the committee was discharged from their further consideration.

ARMY BILLS REPORTED.

Mr. LOGAN, of Illinois, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported favorably on the bill to correct the dates of the commissions of certain officers of the army; the bill making retirement in the army and marine corps after a certain age obligatory; the bill authorizing appointments and promotions in the Medical and Ordnance Departments of the United States Army; the bill to authorize the Secretary of War to reserve from sale 10,000 suits disused army clothing, and to transfer the same to the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, and the bill authorizing the issue of clothing to certain enlisted men of the army, all of which were placed on the calendar.

THE HAGERSTOWN BANK.

The bill to authorize the Citizens' National Bank of Hagerstown, Md., to remove to Washington, D. C., was taken up and passed—yeas 39, nays 14.

DISCUSSION ON THE ORDER OF BUSINESS, LOUISIANA OR THE FINANCES.

The morning hour having expired, the Chair announced that the Senate would resume the consideration of the Louisiana bill.

Mr. WRIGHT moved that the bill be laid aside, and that the Finance bill and the President's Message vetoing the same be taken up. The Senator from Indiana (Mr. Morton) had given notice last week that he would move to take up the bill to-day. That Senator was now confined to his house by sickness, but he was perfectly willing to have the bill considered.

Mr. CONKLING said no notice was given that a motion would be made to take up the bill to-day. During the debate last week it was suggested that the bill be considered to-day, but he (Mr. Conkling) declined to accept the suggestion when he made the motion that the message lay on the table.

Mr. EDMUNDS said his friend from Missouri, (Mr. Schurz,) now absent in Boston upon a mission of public importance, had requested him to ask the Senate not to proceed to the consideration of the Finance bill before his return. He would be here on Thursday, and he (Mr. Edmunds) thought it would be no more than proper to grant the request. He hoped the bill would not be taken up now.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, of New-Jersey, said he desired to have the have the Civil Rights bill considered, and had given notice some time ago that he would move to take it up when the Louisiana bill should be disposed of or laid aside.

Mr. SHERMAN said the Senate should fix some day to take the vote upon the Finance bill, in order that every Senator might be present. Nothing was to be gained by taking the vote to-day. So far as he was concerned he was willing to vote now, but notice should be given as to when a vote would be taken. The time could be fixed for Friday or Monday next. He therefore moved that the Finance bill and President's message be made the special order for Monday next after the expiration of the morning hour.

Mr. BOUTWELL said he had received information from his colleague (Mr. Washburn) to the effect that he desired to be here when the vote was taken. He had been detained from the Senate by public business, and he (Mr. Boutwell) not anticipating that a vote would be taken so soon, had not notified him to be present.

Mr. LOGAN said he did not understand the importance of delaying action until some of the absent Senators could return. Even if there were a new Senator coming from Massachusetts, his vote had not been given on the bill heretofore, and he saw no necessity for waiting for him now. If he (Mr. Logan) should be absent, he would not ask the Senate to postpone business till his return.

Mr. CONKLING, after further debate, asked unanimous consent to have Friday next, at 2 P. M., fixed for the consideration of the bill, when a vote should be taken without debate. He appealed to his friend Bogy to agree to that arrangement, and any remarks he might desire to make could be submitted on some other bill, as there would be plenty of opportunity yet.

Mr. BOGY said he would consent to the arrangement.

Mr. THURMAN said that he did not understand this great diversity of opinion between the Administration Senators. For his part he longed to have a return to the good old days of Andrew Jackson, when the President had a good, wholesome influence upon Congress.

Mr. EDMUNDS said in a Republican Administration the Chief Magistrate attended to his constitutional duties, whereas, in the "good old days" of Andrew Jackson, if any Democratic Senator failed to support any measure of the Administration, he was not allowed to have any positi n in his party.

Mr. THURMAN said when he entered the Senate five years ago there was one man here to whom the Republican Party was indebted for its existence more than to any other man living. Yet the time came when that man disagreed with the views of the Administration and was humiliated in every way therefor. To such an extent was he humiliated that he was only allowed a place upon committees by Democratic votes.

Mr. EDMUNDS said the President was to be commended for not interfering in legislation. The non-election of Mr. Sumner to the Chairmanship of the Committee on Foreign Relations was not for the cause stated by the gentleman, (Mr. Thurman,) but solely for a personal reason. The Senator had no right to say that Senator Sumner, or any other Senator, had been pursued by the Administration or any of his party.

Mr. HOWE said the very Senate which refused to put Mr. Sumner at the head of the Committee on Foreign Relations tendered him at the same time the Chairmanship of one of the most important committees of the Senate—Privileges and Elections.

Mr. LOGAN said the friends of the Finance bill were willing to keep silent and vote, but he warned his friends on the other side not to commence the war.

Mr. CAMERON said he was not placed at the head of the Foreign Relations Committee at his own request. The way he became to be made Chairman was being second on the committee, and he had been given that position at the request of Mr. Sumner, when that gentleman was Chairman. He was absent at his home in Pennsylvania when assigned to the Chairmanship. He came here at the earliest opportunity intending to decline, but upon entering the Senate Chamber, and hearing the remarks of a Senator who was overzealous in behalf of Mr. Sumner, which were not complimentary to him, (Cameron,) he reconsidered his determination and accepted. He had seen it announced in the newspapers that he had robbed Mr. Sumner of his place on the committee. Great heaven! he did nothing of the kind. The feeling between himself and Mr. Sumner was of the most friendly character. When he (Mr. Cameron) had to go home to his sick family, he asked Mr. Sumner to pair with him on the bill then up. Mr. Sumner replied, "Yes, Cameron, gladly," and we shook hands. He said, "God bless you," and I said, "God bless you."

Mr. HAMLIN said he thought it appropriate to state that at the time the Senator (Mr. Cameron) was placed at the head of the Foreign Relations Committee, in place of Mr. Sumner, it was done simply and solely upon the understanding that Mr. Sumner was not upon speaking terms with the President or Secretary of State.

Mr. THURMAN said it was not his province to decide this question, but the speech which Mr. Sumner prepared showed differently. However, Mr. Sumner's own works would show his own history, would show the truth, and that would be read long after this Senate had passed away. Charles Sumner's own account would be believed, and that would show why he was not upon speaking terms with the President and Secretary of State. The debate which took place in open Senate when Mr. Sumner was displaced, gave the opposition members some idea of what took place in the caucus. He (Mr. Thurman) thought Mr. Sumner, to the day of his death, was a proscribed man, because he would not support a measure of the Administration. The country thought so. No one ever attributed the displacement of Mr. Sumner as head of the Committee on Foreign Relations to his successor, the Senator from Pennsylvania. Indeed, that Senator (Mr. Cameron) had expressed to him (Mr. Thurman) a wish to be relieved.

Mr. HOWE said if any one topic was out of order he thought this was. He corroborated what had been said by his friend from Maine, (Mr. Hamlin,) that the action of Mr. Sumner on the San Domingo Treaty had no influence in bringing about the change in that committee. The late Senator from Massachusetts preferred to believe what was not true, and, further, there were no plausible grounds for believing it.

Mr. ANTHONY said Mr. Sumner was not removed on account of his opposition to this San Domingo treaty. Reference had been made during the debate to a speech Mr. Sumner wrote. That was not a speech of Mr. Sumner. He wrote it, but decided not to deliver it, and the man who violated his confidence over his new-made grave, committed an act of perfidy which would not be forgotten. Mr. Sumner did him, (Mr. Anthony,) the honor to show him that speech. There was not more than half a dozen given out, and each one contained a memorandum, "this is in strict confidence." If Mr. Sumner had lived no man would have dared to make it public.

The vote was taken on Mr. Wright's motion to lay aside the Louisiana bill and take up the Finance bill, with the President's Message, and it was agreed to—yeas 35, nays 27.

The chair announced that the Finance bill was before the Senate, and the question was, should it pass notwithstanding the President's objections? Upon this question the Constitution required that the vote should be taken by yeas and nays. No one taking the floor, the roll was called, and the voted resulted—yeas 34, nays 30, as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Allison, Bogy, Boreman, Cameron, Carpenter, Clayton, Conover, Dennis, Dorsey, Ferry of Michigan, Goldthwaite, Gordon, Harvey, Hitchcock, Ingalls, Johnston, Lewis, Logan, McCreery, Merrimon, Mitchell, Norwood, Oglesby, Patterson, Pease, Pratt, Ramsey, Robertson, Spencer, Sprague, Tipton, West, Windom, Wright—34.

NAYS—Messrs. Anthony, Bayard, Boutwell, Buckingham, Chandler, Conkling, Cragin, Davis, Edmunds, Fenton, Ferry, of Connecticut, Flanagan, Frelinghuysen, Gilbert, Hager, Hamilton, of Maryland, Hamilton, of Texas, Hamlin, Howe, Jones, Kelly, Morrill, of Vermont, Sargent, Scott, Sherman, Stevenson, Stewart, Stockton, Thurman, Wadleigh—30.

Two-thirds not voting in the affirmative the bill was lost.

Mr. MORRILL, of Maine, who would have voted against the bill, announced that he was paired with Mr. Morton, who would have voted for it.

Mr. RANSOM, of North Carolina, who also would have voted for the bill, announced that he would not vote, but would pair himself with Mr. Schurz, who was absent, and who was opposed to the bill.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN moved to take up the Civil Rights bill.

The Senate went into executive session, and soon afterward adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

RELIEF FOR THE LOUISIANA SUFFERERS.

Mr. GARFIELD, of Ohio, from the Appropriation Committee, reported a bill appropriating $90,000 for the purchase of rations to be used in the relief of persons suffering from the inundations of the Lower Mississippi, and it was passed.

THE NEW-YORK LEGISLATURE AND THE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

Mr. WOOD, of New-York, offered the following resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means:

Resolved, That the Committee on Ways and Means be authorized and directed to inquire whether any, and if so, whom, of the United States Government officials of the City of New-York have absented themselves or are now absenting themselves from their official duties to influence and control, by corrupt or improper means, State legislation at the Capitol of that State; and also whether for these objects they have offered to members of the Legislature as inducements places of profit connected with their offices in New-York, to be given after the adjournment of the Legislature.

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOMESTEADS.

Mr. NEGLEY, of Pennsylvania, asked leave to offer a resolution instructing the Committee on Military Affairs to prepare and report a bill to amend the act of June 8, 1872, relative to soldiers' and sailors' homesteads, so as to allow honorably-discharged soldiers and sailors, their widows and orphan children, to acquire homesteads on the public lands without being required to commence settlement and improvement.

Mr. DUNNELL, of Minnesota, objected.

Mr. COBURN, of Indiana, Chairman of the Military Committee, remarked that the question was now before that committee, and would certainly be reported upon.

JUDGE STORY, OF ARKANSAS.

On motion of Mr. WILSON, of Indiana, the Judiciary Committee was instructed to inquire whether Judge William Story, the United States District Judge of the Western District of Arkansas, should be impeached for high crimes and misdemeanors.

THE LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS.

The House then took up the Legislative Appropriation bill, and Mr. GARFIELD, of Ohio, Chairman of the committee, addressed the House, giving a résumé of the provisions of the bill and the changes made in it by the Committee of the Whole.

The question of printing the bank notes and bonds was debated at considerable length by Messrs. Garfield, Dawes, Hale of Maine, Potter, Randall, Maynard, and others, an amendment having been voted by the Committee of the Whole increasing the appropriation for that purpose from $500,000 to $1,250,000.

The objection made to that amendment by Messrs. Dawes, Hale, and Potter, was that its object was to break up the present system of printing the bank notes and bonds, which worked well and was properly guarded with all necessary checks, and to place the matter in the hands of the Printing Division of the Treasury, or, virtually, in the hands of one man, and it was charged in the course of the discussion that one of the objects was to give work to the Columbia Bank Note and Engraving Company, in Washington.

Mr. RANDALL, of Pennsyvania, advocated the amendment in the interest of economy and of safety. He contended that the objection to the amendment was in the interest of the three bank note engraving companies in New-York.

At last the discussion closed, and the House proceeded to vote on the various amendments.

The amendment increasing the salaries of some of the officers of the House was agreed to without the yeas and nays.

The amendment appropriating $5,000 for the purchase of official stamps for the Treasury Department, instead of $200,000—the object being to break up the system of requiring each department to pay its own postage—was agreed to—yeas 130, nays 90.

The House refused to agree to the amendment making the maximum pay of gaugers $7 per day, instead of $5.

The House also refused to agree to the amendment striking out the appropriations for the Assay Office at Charlotte, N. C.—yeas 71, nays 136.

The House also refused to agree to the amendments striking out the items for horses and carriages for the Department of Justice—yeas 100, nays 103.

The amendment offered by Mr. SPEER, of Pennsylvania, requiring the Attorney General to report in detail the expenditures of the contingent fund, was agreed to. Also, the amendment requiring Clerks and Marshals of District Courts to be residents of the district.

The amendment in reference to the engraving and printing of notes and bonds by the Treasury Department, increasing the amount from $500,000 to $1,125,000, was agreed to—yeas 153, nays 53.

The paragraph appropriating $625,000 for printing notes, bonds, &c., was stricken out without a division. The provision on that subject now stands as follows:

For labor by the day or piece, or contract, including the labor of workmen skilled in engraving, transferring, plate printing, and other specialties necessary for carrying on the work of engraving and printing notes, bonds, and other securities of the United States—the pay for such labor to be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury at rates not exceeding the rates usually paid for such work—and for other expenses of engraving and printing notes, bonds, and other securities of the United States, $1,125,000.

The amendment striking out the paragraph requiring the department clerks to work seven hours a day, instead of six hours, was struck out, without the yeas and nays.

The amendment exempting appropriations for river and harbor improvements, light-houses, and certain public works from the law which requires unexpended balances of appropriations to be carried to the surplus fund, and covered into the Treasury at the expiration of two years, was agreed to without a division. These were all the important amendments.

The bill was then passed, and the House, at 5:15, adjourned.

THE TRANSATLANTIC MAILS FOR MAY.

Date.	Steam-ship.	Destination.	Time of Sailing.
2	St. Laurent	Brest and Havre	....
2	Republic	Queenstown	12:00 M.
2	Donau	Southampton and Bremen	12:00 M.
5	Minnesota	Queenstown	12:30 P.M.
5	Goethe	Plymouth, Cherbourg and Hamburg	11:30 A.M.
6	Scotia	Queenstown	6:30 A.M.
6	Graf Bismarck	Bremen	12:00 M.
7	Thuringia	Plymouth, Cherbourg and Hamburg	11:30 A.M.
9	Celtic	Queenstown	8:00 A.M.
9	Neckar	Southampton and Bremen	12:00 M.
12	Wyoming	Queenstown	11:30 A.M.
12	Cuba	Queenstown	12:00 M.
13	America	Bremen	12:00 M.
14	Westphalia	Plymouth, Cherbourg, and Hamburg	11:30 A.M.
16	Franklin	Stettin	12:00 M.
16	Adriatic	Queenstown	12:00 M.
16	Mosel	Southampton and Bremen	12:00 M.
16	Pereire	Brest and Havre	....
16	Nevada	Queenstown	12:30 P.M.
19	Lessing	Plymouth, Cherbourg, and Hamburg	11:30 A.M.
20	Abyssinia	Queenstown	6:30 A.M.
20	Hermann	Bremen	12:00 M.
21	Pommerania	Plymouth, Cherbourg, and Hamburg	11:30 A.M.
23	Baltic	Queenstown	8:00 A.M.
23	Weser	Southampton and Bremen	12:00 M.
26	Montana	Queenstown	11:30 A.M.
27	Russia	Queenstown	11:30 A.M.
27	Hansa	Bremen	11:30 A.M.
28	Holsatia	Plymouth, Cherbourg, and Hamburg	11:30 A.M.
30	Oceanic	Queenstown	12:00 M.
30	Rhein	Southampton and Bremen	12:00 M.
30	Humboldt	Stettin	12:00 M.
30	Ville de Paris	Brest and Havre	....

THE BOARD OF POLICE.

At the meeting of the Police Commissioners yesterday, Commissioner Duryee presented the new designs for shields for the Captains, Sergeants, and patrolmen of the department. The shields for the Captains are to be of yellow metal, similar in pattern and design to the gold shield recently presented to Capt. Byrnes, of the Fifteenth Precinct, by Messrs. Jarrett & Palmer and Sheridan Shook for having sold the largest number of tickets for the charity matinées. The patrolman's shield is to be of white metal. It is a plain shield, with the City arms in the centre, around which appears in black letters "Municipal Police N. Y." At the base of the shield is the number of the patrolman in plain black figures. The Sergeant's shield will be similar to that of the patrolman, with the addition of a spread eagle perched on the top, and the word "Sergeant" in place of the number at the base. These shields are to be attached to the coats of the wearers with a patent wire fastening. The designs were approved by the board, and steps will be at once taken to have them manufactured and issued to the Police force. Sergt. Henry V. Steers, of the Thirty-fourth Precinct (Tremont) was promoted to be Captain, and Sergt. Wm. A. Russell was transferred from the Twenty-fourth to Thirty-fourth Precinct. The resignation of W. B. C. Duryee, clerk to Commissioners Russell and Duryee, was accepted, and George P. Barrett was appointed in his stead at a salary of $1,500 per annum. Mrs. Anne E. Jarboe, widow of the late Detective Charles B. Jarboe, of the Seventh Precinct, was allowed a pension of $150 per annum. On motion of Commissioner Duryee the board adjourned until Tuesday, 5th prox.

SISTERS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.

ASSEMBLING OF THE SEXTENNIAL ELECTORAL COUNCIL—DEPARTURE OF ELECTORS FOR FRANCE—FOUNDATION OF THE ORDER.

On the 25th day of May next there will be assembled at Angers, Department of Maine-et-Loire, France, a body of religious ladies drawn from nearly every civilized nation and from many of the semi-civilized countries of the earth, to elect a chief officer for their order. The order is that of the Roman Catholic Sisterhood of our Lady of Charity of the Good Shepherd, and there will be represented in the Electoral Council about 140 monasteries, located in Europe, Asia, Africa, America, and Oceanica. The order, as is generally known, has for its object the reclamation and reformation of fallen women and girls, who either voluntarily present themselves for admission, or are committed to its custody by competent authority. Prior to 1835 this work was carried on only under the direction of isolated monasteries, under various titles, but in that year the order became known as an organized body, having a supreme source of authority, and the exemplary lady who then became its leader held the office, through successive elections, for thirty-three years, or up to the time of her decease in April, 1868. This eminent *religieuse*, Marie De St. Euphrasie Pelletier, was in 1817 Mistress of the Penitents in the Community of Our Lady of Charity of the Refuge, at Tours, and a few years later became Superioress of the same body. In 1829 she was called to Angers, to establish a penitential home for Magdalens, the basis of the fund for its establishment being a bequest of 30,000 francs by Mme. De La Potherie De Neuville, her son, the Count De Neuville, subsequently becoming a great benefactor of the institution. Under the belief that the establishment of a Generalship would lead to a more extended control and interest in the work, a petition was sent to Rome by Bishop Montault, of Angers, in conjunction with the Bishops of Poitiers, Metz, and Grenoble, and the request was joined in by the Count De Neuville, the Countess D'Andigni and other eminent persons, clerical and lay. The Generalat was approved of in 1835 by a decree and brief from his Holiness Gregory XVI., and Mother Marie St. Euphrasie was named Superioress General. She continued her work for thirty-three years, and at the time of her death she was seventy-two years old. So great was the recognition of her labors that shortly before her dissolution benedictions were sent to her by the Archbishops of Cambray, Aix, and Westminster, and the Bishops of Orleans, Arras, and Poitiers, and Most Rev. Dom Guerangar, Albert of Solesmes, and her death-bed was surrounded by many dignitaries of the Church. She had been a *religieuse* for over fifty years, and during thirty-nine years had held a superior position. At her decease there were 110 monasteries, of which 32 were in France, 10 in Belgium and Holland, 14 in Italy, including 3 in Rome; 15 in Germany, 10 in Great Britain and Ireland, 3 in Asia, 8 in Africa, 20 in North and South America, and 1 in Oceanica; all of which sprung from the Mother House at Angers. The Angers Monastery contains about 1,200 inmates, and has a congregation of about 200 nuns. The term of office of the Superior General is six years. The last election took place in October, 1868, at which the present incumbent, Mother General Marie St. Joseph, was chosen. The election should have been held on the Thursday succeeding the octave of the Ascension of that year, but Mother General St. Euphrasie had been elected term after term by *scrutan*, or the written notes of the electors. In 1868 she would of course have been similarly reelected, but her death in the latter part of April of that year precluded it, and it was then too late to summon the electoral council at the proper calendar time. The assistant at the General Monastery of Angers discharged the duties *pro tem.* until the October election. On the day preceding her death, Mother General St. Euphrasie nominated a colony of the sisterhood to establish the monastery of Miserghine, near Oran, in Algeria, and on the same day transacted business for a little colony who were about to start for Aden and another for India. The superioress of the establishment at Oran was appointed by her only a few hours before her death, showing the deep devotion she felt in her work while life lasted.

Within the past week the ladies of the order who represent the monasteries of the United States and Canada have left this City to attend the Electoral Council, six of them having sailed by the steam-ship Gaelic, and the remainder on Saturday last by the steamer City of Richmond. On board the Gaelic were Mother Mary of St. Joseph, Provincial Superioress of Cincinnati; Mother Mary of St. Gertrude, of Cleveland; Mother Mary of St. Scholastica, Cincinnati; Mother Mary of St. Alphonsus, Columbus; Mother Mary des Anges, Philadelphia, and Mother Mary of St. Ignatius. Those on board the City of Richmond were Mother Mary of St. Magdalen, Mother Mary of St. Aloysius, Mother Mary of Bath, Mother Mary of the Nativity, Mother Mary of St. Paul, Mother Mary of St. Rose, Mother Mary of the Sacred Heart, Mother Mary of St. Francis Patrick, Mother Mary of St. John Berchmann, Mother Mary St. Francis Xavier, Mother Mary St. Teresa, Mother Mary St. Anselm, Mother Mary of the Holy Name, and four sisters of the order. The Houses over which these ladies preside are allotted to provinces, and a province generally comprises three or four monasteries. The Province of New-York embraces the houses in New-York City, Brooklyn, and Boston, and the Provincial Superioress of New-York and her Prioress have both sailed to attend the council. According to the best obtainable information, the order now includes about 125 monasteries and nearly 30,000 nuns. The New-York House of the Good Shepherd, located at the foot of East Ninetieth street, was built in 1861, and the buildings have cost about $430,000. The institution was commenced in this City in October, 1857, by five sisters of the order. By the reception of novices since that period, the community now numbers about 140, not including twenty out-door sisters, fifty-six of the whole number being engaged in the conduct of the Brooklyn and Boston houses. The following data are obtained from the last annual report of the New-York house, dated October, 1873: Whole number of inmates received since the organization of the institution, 4,020; received during the year, 401; total supported, 959; discharged during the year, 413; by writs of habeas corpus, 1; returned to parents or guardians, 296; left without permission, 5; transferred to other institutions, 4; placed out in situations, 87; died, 20; total remaining, 564.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The Board of Supervisors held an animated session yesterday. During the afternoon many of the members had an informal discussion in relation to the effect of the bill consolidating the City and County of New-York, but they came to no definite conclusion. A few were of the opinion that the bill limited the functions of the board to confirming the tax levy, and that the work would necessarily enable them to claim the additional salary of $2,000 per annum which they now receive as representatives of the County. The board met at 3:30 o'clock. Four members—the Mayor, Messrs. Vance, Hackett, and Morris—were absent. Supervisor McCafferty was called to the chair. Resolutions were adopted in favor of renewing the lease of the armory on Broadway and Fourth street at a rental of $7,500 per annum, and assigning the Ninety sixth and Eighty-fourth Regiments to the building, and the Fifth Regiment to the arsenal.

Supervisor Gilon moved that the Clerk of the board be authorized to re-lease the building on Broadway and Sixth avenue and Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets, for the use of the Seventy-first Regiment. After a long and animated debate, in which Supervisors Van Schaick and Monheimer spoke against the resolution, and Supervisors Cooper, Gilon, and others in its favor, it was laid over. A resolution assigning the Sixth Regiment to the building on Ninth avenue and Twenty-seventh street, which was recently set apart for the Seventy-first, was then presented, and, after eliciting considerable discussion, was lost by a vote of 7 to 6. Supervisor Van Schaick referred to the Consolidation bill, and said they would soon cease to be a Board of Supervisors. Motions to adjourn were then made and lost; and it was finally agreed to take action on all the claims on the minutes, and wind up the business of the board. A large number of bills were then passed, but before all could be reached, the board adjourned until Thursday next.

VAGRANT ITALIAN CHILDREN.

At the meeting of the Police Commissioners yesterday the following communication was received from Mr. Ferdinand De Lucca, Consul General of Italy, submitting a plan of action in relation to the arrests of vagrant Italian children by the Police as follows:

First—That the Police be directed to apprehend all Italian children under the age of sixteen found in the street begging, dancing, or playing on musical instruments for gain.

Second—That on their arrest they be produced before the Consul General of Italy, who will examine them in their own dialect, of which there are many, and take their depositions and have the same translated.

Third—That they be detained in the usual place of custody of vagrant children a reasonable number of days for any one to claim them, the Italian Consul paying the expense of their board.

Fourth—If any one appears as their master, the Italian Consul will undertake to prosecute him for misdemeanor under the statute.

Fifth—In case the children are not claimed the Consul will take them and return them to Italy.

By the adoption of this plan Mr. De Lucca trusts that in a few months Italians will be spared the sorrow of seeing children belonging to their nation made professional mendicants, and this City be relieved from what would soon prove to be a dangerous class. The communication was referred to the Chief Clerk to report in relation to the powers of the board in the matter.

THE COURTS.

THE BATTERY EXTENSION SUIT.

CHIEF JUSTICE DALY ON MODERN LEGISLATION—THE JURY LOCKED UP.

At the opening of Part I., Court of Common Pleas, yesterday, the case of Charles P. Shaw against David Babcock, already noticed in THE TIMES, was resumed. After testimony of Deputy Controller Storrs to the effect that the assignment had been withdrawn before the time testified to by defendant, counsel for the respective parties proceeded to sum up before the jury, Mr. Henry L. Clinton on behalf of defendant, and Mr. John E. Devlin on behalf of plaintiff.

Chief Justice Daly then charged the jury, submitting to them not only the question whether the contract, as testified to by plaintiff, had been entered into, but also whether this contract was by its terms limited to services of plaintiff exclusively before the legislative committee of reference, or embraced general services in securing the passage of the bill by the Legislature. If the former, the contract, he said, was valid, but if the latter, invalid. Referring to this distinction the Judge's language was as follows: "The distinction is important for this reason: I see no objection, at least I know of none in the law, to an agreement by a lawyer to appear before a legislative committee and advocate the passage of a proper bill, assigning such reasons as may or may not be satisfactory to the committee, by whom the bill may or may not be introduced into the Legislature; nor any impropriety, that if his services are not successful—that he does not succeed in satisfying the committee—that he is not to receive his compensation, and that if they do report the bill, which is one of the stages in the course of legislation, that he is to receive the compensation. There is something more than this, and that is that provision will be made. On that turns a very important inquiry in this case; that is, whether there was or was not a conditional contract for service to be exercised beyond that exercised in the Legislature, upon the legislators, so as to make the compensation dependant on the success of that or not. In other words, the law is correct as it was stated to you, that a contract made in general terms to secure the passage of an act through the Legislature, with the condition that if the act is passed the party shall receive a certain compensation, and if not, he shall not, is void upon the face, as leading to corruption." Further on in his charge the Chief Justice referred to legislative corruption as follows: "Mr. Shaw says he did not employ them (Mattoon, Williams, and Creamer) in their capacity as Senators, for their terms had expired with the expiration of the preceding year, but he employed them (those dignified gentlemen and public officers)—he employed them for their influence with Tweed and Connolly in effecting the payment of this claim." In conclusion he said: "Well, gentlemen, without making any observations on the facts of this case, it is a very extraordinary state of things that is presented by this evidence—that for the purpose of getting a claim, alleged to be a valid one, involving a release from an existing contract, $18,000 would have to be paid for that service. That strikes the minds of ordinary persons as very extraordinary, in view of any difficulty involved in such a matter, or any construction which should be an honest construction on such an act. It either shows a most complicated condition of the Legislature, or a most corrupt one, if that enormous amount was to be paid for the simple purpose expressed and admitted by all parties in respect to this claim. I mention it simply as a matter of observation—not with the intention of influencing your judgments upon the passage of this act, but as the sentiment of a public officer or a citizen, in respect to that aspect of this case, admitting the facts to be all as the plaintiff states them. Either one of three things is implied—that legislation has become impracticable, exceedingly difficult, or enormously corrupt. One of these three consequences would seem to be indicated in the ordinary management of public affairs. I have said in this case what is very unusual for a Judge to do, and unusual for me; but I could not rise up, whatever disposition may be made of this case, and not express my moral sense of it, whatever may be the ultimate verdict. I would feel unfit for the discharge of public duty, and in view of the importance of Government, order, honesty, and law in a free country, if I did not give utterance to the impression made on me by the facts of this case, whatever those facts may justify in the enforcement or non-enforcement of the contract."

The jurors, not having agreed at the hour of adjournment, were locked up.

BUSINESS IN THE UNITED STATES COURTS.

John W. Conway was brought before United States Commissioner Shields yesterday, charged with having forged the indorsement of Rose & Co., of Baltimore, to a money order. He was held for examination....Thomas MacMahon, who, with nine fellow sailors of the steam-ship Caravan, was charged with having assaulted Capt. Weaffin and attempting a mutiny, was held for examination by Commissioner Shields. The others were discharged. ....Eleven cases of type, which were seized on board the steam-ship Victoria, were yesterday condemned by default for non-payment of importation duty, return of process having been made and no claimant appearing....The proceeding to enjoin George Washington Bowen from instituting further suits against Nelson Chase for the recovery of the Jumel estates was continued yesterday before Judge Blatchford in the Circuit Court. The greater portion of the day was occupied by counsel for Chase, in putting in portions of the evidence taken when the case was tried before Judge Shipman. At its conclusion Mr. O'Conor commenced his legal argument on the motion.

LARCENY AT A PICNIC.

Charles Caple, a hack-driver at Canary's stables in Mercer street, was placed on trial yesterday, in the Court of General Sessions, before Recorder Hackett, charged with the larceny of a gold watch. When the case was called, counsel for the defense produced two men who bore a marvelous likeness to each other, and declined to state which was Caple, on the ground that the defense would be mistaken identity. One of the men, however, was positively recognized by the complainant as the one who had stolen his watch. From the evidence it appeared that on the 22d of July John H. Lorigan, a liquor-dealer, was returning on a barge from the picnic of the "Eurekas," a Fourteenth Ward organization, when he was assaulted by the prisoner, who caught him from behind, threw him violently on the deck, and snatched his gold watch and chain, leaving a small portion of the chain hanging to Lorigan's vest. Lorigan followed the prisoner, who ran off and concealed himself, but was subsequently discovered by the complainant and arrested. The defense claimed that the prisoner was a man of good character, and, being in a state of beastly intoxication while returning from the picnic, was incompetent to commit the theft charged. Counsel called as witnesses Police Officers Madden and Brennan, Thomas Canary, the Mercer street livery stable keeper by whom the prisoner was employed; Charles Troy, a hack-driver; Charles J. Kelly, book-keeper, and Bartholomew Gray, foreman of Bellows' stables; Charles Powers, a liquor-dealer; Ex-Alderman Joseph Shannon, and a number of other political associates of the prisoner in the ward, all of whom gave him a good character. The jury, after a short deliberation, acquitted the prisoner.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

In the Court of General Sessions yesterday, Recorder Hackett presiding, District Attorney Rollins prosecuting, Herman Wistner, against whom three indictments for grand larceny had been found, pleaded guilty to one charge, and was sent to State Prison for four years and six months....George W. Ewing pleaded guilty to an attempt at grand larceny, and was sent to State Prison for two years and six months....Wm. Cunningham, a fireman at the Forty-second street gas works, was found guilty of assaulting James Auld, on Forty-second street, on the 30th November, and sent to the Penitentiary for one year.

THE EMIGRATION COMMISSIONERS.

The Commissioners of Emigration met yesterday, Mr. Hurlbut in the chair. The Finance Committee recommended payment of bills amounting to $17,276 84, which was laid over with the pay-roll for the month. The Secretary read a communication which he had forwarded to Mr. John G. Dale, Agent of the Inman Line of steamers, calling his attention to an overcharge which was made by the company's agent in Liverpool, in the case of John Rankin, who was overcharged $21 for an inland passage from New-York to San Francisco, the Liverpool agent not having taken into account the reduction made recently by the railroad companies in the case of emigrants. In reply, Mr. Dale said he had no confidence that the present rates of inland fare would be maintained, and he apprehended an advance in the rates when the Presidents of the different roads would meet. In conclusion, Mr. Dale said if they charged passengers the present railroad rates, and if such rates advanced before the arrival of the emigrant in New-York, he presumed the passengers would not pay the difference, but hold the company to their agreement. The Secretary replied to this letter, and said that the Inman Line had collected from the emigrant a greater sum for his transportation from New-York to San Francisco than he could have procured it for in Castle Garden on the day he purchased his ticket, and he, therefore, asked that the amount in question should be refunded.

Mr. Kaufman thought they could not compel the company to refund any such money.

The Secretary said that their counsel was of the opinion that the emigrant himself had a good cause of action against the company, and he was preparing the papers in the case. The matter then dropped, and a motion was made that the board go into executive session, and that all should withdraw who were not members of the board. This board, for some time back, invariably go into executive session, and by excluding the reporters conceal matters in which the public are interested.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

COURT OF APPEALS.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 28.—The Court of Appeals Day Calendar for Wednesday, April 29, is as follows: Nos. 206, 220, 223, 218, 224, 226, 227, 228.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Donohue, J.

Nos. 44—Carter vs. Rathbun. 54—King vs. King. 57—Clausen, Jr., vs. Linnen. 62—Binsse vs. McCallem, &c. 65—Doyle vs. The Board of Revision. 67—McGowan vs. Green, &c. 69—Creamer vs. Green, &c. 70—House of Mercy vs. The Mayor, &c. 71—Winston vs. Mitchell Non-explosive Boiler Company. 116—Adams, &c., vs. Fowler, Jr. 120—Wood vs. The Mayor, &c. 122—Cooper vs. Empire Mutual Life Ins. Co. 154—Frost, Trustee, vs. Hotchkiss, &c. 167—Sterne vs. Goepp, Administrator. 174—Westheimer vs. Smith. 203—Beattie vs. The Oleomorgarine Mfg. Co. 214—Inslee, Survivor, vs. Hampton. 215—Parish vs. Sherman, &c. 217—In the matter of Hall. 218—In the matter of Christie. 219—In the matter of Manning.

Nos. 220—In the matter of Naylor. 221—In the matter of Clarkson. 222—In the matter of Lohse. 223—In the matter of White. 224—In the matter of Stiljes. 225—In the matter of Williamson. 226—In the matter of Shiffler. 231—Garrison vs. Green. 235—Williams vs. Merchants' Exchange Bank. 242—Bank of New-York vs. Romer. 244—Birdsall vs. Clair. 255—Whitlock vs. Niles. 261—In the matter, &c., Viele. 268—Merriam, &c., vs. Conrad. 273—Schmidt, Executor, vs. Levy, impleaded. 275—Behrens vs. Carr, &c. 276—Same vs. Same. 277—Salomon vs. Carr, &c. 278—Huth, &c., vs. Carr, &c. 279—Simpson vs. U. P. R. R. Co. 283—Excelsior Savings Bank vs. Campbell. 284—Same vs. Same.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Adjourned until Monday, May 4.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

Issues of Law and Fact.

Nos. 263—Hunter et al. vs. Colvin et al. 137—St. P. M. A. & B. Ass. vs. St. P. M. Ass. 293—Grigg, &c., vs. Fay et al. 295—Walker vs. Walker. 298—Rowe vs. Central Park Hotel Co. et al. 299—Same vs. Same. 300—Same vs. Same. 301—Man vs. Koehler et al. 304—Kelsey et al. vs. Hegeman, Executor, et al. 305—Tuska vs. Fettretch et al. 306—Graepfe vs. Levy et al. 313—Rainsfow &c., vs. Dean et al. 220—Shewah et al. vs. Thompson et al. 13—Ritter vs. Boody.

Nos. 35—Lynch vs. Richardson et al. 40—Orr vs. Gilmore et al. 42—Murphy et al. vs. Wheeler et al. 43—Murphy et al. vs. Dickinson et al. 44—Murphy vs. Gamble. 91—Pool vs. Stevens. 9—Emmet, &c., vs. Seton et al. 49—Hastings, &c., vs. Drew et al. 62—Scott vs. Honeywell et al. 89—Clark, Administrator, vs. Griswold. 92—Hines vs. Mooney et al. 71—Koffman vs. Treadwell et al. 117—Prentiss vs. George et al.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—PART II.

Held by Westbrook, J.

Nos. 3012—Meyer vs. Honeke. 3126—Bartlett vs. The Mayor, &c. 3128—Bowery Nat. Bank vs. The Mayor, &c. 1588—Berrlinger vs. Wengenroth. 2016—Murphy et al. vs. Haswell. 994—Bruce et al. vs. Zschoch et al. 396—Cowles vs. Watson et al. 1490—Kelly, Administrator, vs. N. Y. R. R. & T. Co. 384—Ford vs. Kelly, Sheriff, &c. 1287—Marshall, &c., vs. Third Av. R. R. Co.

Nos. 28—Fitzgerald vs. Kelly Sheriff. 1756—Swift vs. The Sun Mutual Ins. Co. 92—Schwartz vs. Kelly, Sheriff. 1976—Withaus et al. vs. Tyson. 3198—O'Neill vs. The Mayor, &c. 3204—Kelly vs. The Mayor, &c. 3226—Kennedy vs. The Mayor, &c. 3258—McKeon vs. The Mayor, &c. 1378—Taylor et al. vs. Weston et al. 1668—Curtiss et al. vs. Kendrick.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—PART III.

Adjourned for the term.

SUPERIOR COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Adjourned until Saturday, May 2, at 12 M.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.

Adjourned for the term.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART II.

Adjourned until Monday, May 4.

COMMON PLEAS—GENERAL TERM.

Will meet the first Monday in May for the purpose o rendering decisions.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—PART II.

Held by Daly, C. J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

1783—Shaw vs. Babcock.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM—PART II.

Held by Larremore, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

2605—Murray vs. Walsh.

MARINE COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Calendar for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

Held by Shea, C. J., Gross and Joachimsen, JJ.

Non-enumerated Motions. Johnston et al. vs. Squier. Krusskops vs. Zelinka. Arkell et al. vs. Nelson. Vanderburgh vs. Maguire. Hall vs. Stevenson. Tambrink vs. Bachran. Finne vs. C. P., N. & E. R. Railroad. Chrisfeld vs. Rudolphy. Huden et al. vs. Hanlon. Trainer vs. Hull. Tesch vs. Tyng. Blauvelt vs. Palmer. Sanchez vs. Casey. Hildebrand vs. Conover. Binney vs. Brennan. Bathgate vs. Pranauf. Polhamus vs. Bogert.

Werling vs. Wick. Veiger vs. Rhesaler. Knoblock vs. Ranges et al. Coldman vs. Fireman's Fund Insurance Co. Kirssted et al. vs. Manufacturers' and Builders' Bank. Rosenfield vs. Palmer. Holbrook vs. Brennan. Geraty et al. vs. Healy. Webb vs. Fowler. Warburton vs. Carpenter. Langley vs. Spaulding. Brummer vs. Van Alen. Goodkind vs. Binning. Bamburger vs. Tejetti. Sanchez vs. Casey.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.

Adjourned for the term.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART II.

Adjourned for the term.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART III.

Adjourned for the term.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held by Hackett, Recorder.

August Reinhardt, arson. James Kelly, Frances Hannie, robbery. Frans Pospischil, rape. John Cartain, felonious assault and battery. Elizabeth McCody, John Welsh, and James Smith, grand larceny.

William J. Livingston, grand larceny. John H. Phillips, grand larceny. Gustave Goeth, bigamy. Dennis ?azen, receiving stolen goods. Dorephus G. Simmons, false impersonation.

NOTICE TO THE BAR.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT—PART II.

The May term of this court will commence on Monday, 11th inst. By order of the court.

WILLIAM WALSH, Clerk.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

By Judge Donohue.

Blauvelt vs. Root; in the matter of the Union Square National Bank; Devoe vs. Nutter; memorandums.

Beach vs. Smith; Johnson vs. Sandford; motions denied.

In the matter of Muller; Lambert vs. Guerin et al.; Holloway vs. Stephens; granted.

McAuliff vs. Orr; motion heard without costs.

In the matter of Fo rs; The Union Dime Savings Bank vs. Osley; opinions.

Aaron vs. Cirker, &c.; motion granted.

Simpkins vs. Griffin; The German Up-town Savings Bank vs. Oafenger; The German Up-town Savings Bank vs. Waldheimer; orders granted.

Riley vs. Corwin; denied.

White vs. White; motion denied; memorandum.

By Judge Lawrence.

Paul vs. Fargo, &c.; memorandum.

Hiel vs. Hiel; judgment of divorce granted to the plaintiff.

Stockwell vs. Earle, &c.; opinion.

Dambman vs. Butterfield; memorandum for counsel.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM.

By Judge Loew.

Dutch vs. Vanderbilt; motion for allowances of five per cent. granted.

The People ex rel. Smith vs. Green; alternative writ of mandamus allowed.

Roberts vs. Third Avenue Savings Bank. See memorandum for counsel.

Hoffman vs. Johnson; motion for allowance granted.

Askin vs. The American National Bank; motion denied, with leave to renew upon additional affidavits.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Before Judge Van Brunt.

"MEN OF MARK"—AN INEQUITABLE CONTRACT.

The New-York and Hartford Publishing Company vs. Alden B. Stockwell.—This action was brought to recover $6,500 for failure of contract. It appeared by the complaint in the case, made by one Greer, that when plaintiff was about publishing a book similar in design to "Men of Mark," in which defendant was to have a place, defendant agreed to take five copies at $55 each. The contract also contained an additional clause, somewhat after the style of the ancient "Horse-shoe Nail" contract, to the effect that after the proof-sheets were furnished to the subscriber, if not returned immediately, or money paid, &c., he was to pay a certain fine in money for each minute's delay in making such return. Defendant in this case, as well as many others against whom similar suits are pending, either intentionally or carelessly failed to make the required return. Plaintiff thereupon added the fines to the contract price, and commenced his suit for the modest sum claimed herein.

The agreement signed by defendant, which is evidently a rarity, is as follows:

And I also agree to pay to said publisher on demand two cents for every minute's time that elapses between the date of this memorandum and the delivery of my sketch and photograph, (to above office,) and for every minute's time elapsing between the receipt and return of proof-sheets of my sketch, and for every minute's time that passes between the asking for and the payment of said amount according to above terms. No other conditions accepted than those stipulated on this agreement, none of which can be rescinded under any circumstances.

Payment for 650 issues will be made upon issue of proof-sheets of my sketch, and I also agree to pay on demand the price of five copies at $55 per copy.

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Counsel for defendant demurred to the complaint on the ground that the contract was an inequitable one, into which defendant could not have been induced to enter except through his mistake, or the concealment or fraud of the plaintiff.

Judge Van Brunt sustained the demurrer, and dismissed the complaint absolutely, with costs to defendant.

T. C. Cronin for plaintiff; Buckham, Smales, and Walker for defendant.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

MOVEMENTS IN PRODUCE AND MERCHANDISE.

NEW-YORK, Tuesday, April 28, 1874.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pks.	19	Spirits Turp., bbls.	321
Cotton, bales	4,122	Crude Turp., bbls.	500
Copper, bbls.	50	Tar, bbls.	1,200
Eggs, bbls.	2,534	Pork, pks.	56
Flour, bbls.	17,807	Cut-meats, pks.	1,493
Meal, bbls.	1,365	Lard, tcs.	1,237
Meal, bags	2,140	Lard, kegs	180
Wheat, bushels	77,125	Butter, pks.	2,548
Corn, bushels	76,800	Cheese, pks.	965
Oats, bushels	20,465	Oil-cake, pks.	2,465
Malt, bushels	4,250	Tallow, pks.	398
Peas, bushels	9,600	Grease, pks.	69
Hemp, bales	42	Stearine, pks.	19
Hides, No.	308	Starch, pks.	1,300
Hides, bdls.	661	Tobacco, hhds.	1,009
Leather, sides	27,446	Tobacco, pks.	74
Rye, bushels	2,554	Wool, bales	52
Resin, bbls.	4,700	Whisky, bbls.	532

COFFEE—A moderate inquiry has been noted for Rio, but prices have favored buyers slightly; sales 569 bags by the Alice Tainter at 20c., gold; 1,439 bags by the Cricket, at Baltimore, on private terms, and 4,500 bags by the Sophia, at Hampton Roads, to go to Baltimore, at 19¾c., gold. Other kinds rather slow, but steady; 1,500 bags Laguayra, various arrivals, sold on private terms. We quote invoices thus: Rio, ordinary, 18½c.@18¾c.; fair, 19¾c.@20c.; good, 20¾c.@21c.; prime, 22c.@22¼c., gold, ₩ lb., 60 days' credit; Rio, in job lots, 18½c.@23½c., gold; Java, 24c.@26c.; Maracaibo, 18c.@22½c.; Porto Rico, 20c.@22c.; Costa Rica, 20c.@22c.; Mexican, 19½c.@21½c.; San Domingo, 17½c.@18½c.; Laguayra, 20c.@22c.; Ceylon, 20c.@23c.; Savanilla, 20c.@22c.; Curacoa, 19c.@20½c., and Jamaica, 19c.@22c., gold, ₩ lb.

COTTON—Has been in rather more request for early delivery, at about former prices; sales, 1,402 bales, including 396 bales to shippers, 746 bales to spinners, and 260 bales to speculators. There has been less activity noted for forward delivery, at, however, 1-16c.@⅛c. higher prices, closing a trifle weaker. Sales have been reported since our last of 19,700 bales, (of which 3,900 bales were on last evening, and 15,800 bales to-day,) with 1,300 bales more at the calls, and on the basis of Low Middling, with April option, closing at 17c.@17⅛c.; May, 17 5-32c.; June, 17 17-32c.; July, 17 31-32c.; August, 18 9-32c.@18 5-16c.; September, 17 15-16c.; October, 17¾c.; November, 17 11-16c. The receipts at this port to-day were 4,122 bales, including 168 bales from Wilmington, 85 bales from Baltimore, and 3,869 bales per railroad. The receipts at the shipping ports to-day were 6,382 bales, and thus far this week 18,287 bales, against 17,485 bales same time last week, and since the 1st of September last, 3,557,453 bales, against 3,226,180 bales the preceding season. Consolidated (three days)—Exports to Great Britain, 16,909 bales; to the Continent, 14,398 bales. Stock in New-York—133,075 bales; consolidated stock at the ports, 440,831 bales. The following quotations are based on Cotton in store, running in quality not more than half a grade above or below the grade named:

Closing Prices of Cotton in New-York.

	Uplands.	Alabama.	N. O.	Texas.
Ordinary	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞
Good Ordinary	15⅝	15¾	16	16
Strict Good Ordinary	16⅜	16½	16 11-16	16 11-16
Low Middling	16⅞	17	17¼	17¼
Middling	17¾	17⅞	18⅛	18⅛
Good Middling	19	19⅛	19⅜	19⅜

EGGS—Have been in good request within the range of 19½c.@22½c. for ordinary to choice, with the main dealings at 20½c.@21½c. for fair to very prime.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour has been in less demand to-day, yet prices have been without any material alteration. The inquiry has been mostly for home trade purposes. The sales reported since our last have been 9,600 bbls., of all grades, including poor to very choice No. 2 at $4 25@$5 60, chiefly at $5 15@$5 50; inferior to fancy Superfine State and Western at $5 40@$6 15, chiefly at $5 85@$6; inferior to good Extra State, $6 20@$6 60, chiefly at $6 50; very good to very fancy do. and City Mill Extras at $6 60@$7 85, mainly at $6 76@$7 25; poor to very choice shipping Extra Western at $6 10@$6 60; poor to choice shipping brands round-hoop Ohio, $6 15@$6 65; poor to very good Minnesota Extra, for shipment, at $6 60@$7 75, ₩ bbl.; and Trade and Family Extras at proportionate rates.

Southern Flour has been in less demand, at about steady prices. Sales have been reported since our last of 870 bbls., in lots, at from $6 35@$7 65 for very poor to choice shipping, and $7 65@$10 75 for ordinary to fancy choice Family Extra, ₩ bbl. Canada Flour quite dull and nominal, within the range of $6 75@$9 ₩ bbl....Rye Flour has been moderately active at $4 80@$6 for fine to very choice Superfine. Sales, 480 bbls., chiefly at $5 75@$6 ₩ bbl.... Corn-meal has been in good demand and held more firmly at from $3 85@$4 45 for very inferior to very choice Yellow Western; chiefly at $4 10@$4 50 for fair to very choice; $4 50 for Golden Ear; $3 80@$4 10 for White do.; $4 10@$4 25 for Jersey, and $4 75 for Brandywine, delivered, ₩ bbl. The reported sales since our last have been 1,550 bbls., chiefly Brandywine and Western, within the range. ..Bag-meal has been selling, in lots, within the range of $1 56@$1 58 for Coarse; $1 60@$1 72½ for Yellow, and $1 75 for White ₩ 100 lbs....Oat-meal at from $6 50@$7 75 ₩ bbl.

GRAIN—Spring Wheat has been comparatively quiet. Strictly prime Milwaukee stock has been scarce and held rather more firmly, checking business. Most other kinds have been quoted about steady, on moderate offerings and a restricted inquiry. Winter Wheat has been inactive, yet quoted about as before. Sales have been reported of 58,500 bushels at $1 60@$1 62½, main y at $1 62@$1 62½ for No. 1 Spring; $1 57@$1 58, chiefly at $1 58, for No. 2 Milwaukee Spring; $1 54@$1 55 for No. 2 North-west do.; $1 52@$1 54 for fair ordinary to strictly prime No. 2 Chicago do.; $1 49@$1 51 for ungraded Spring; $1 75 for White Western; and $1 68 for Red do. And for forward delivery sales were reported of 20,000 bushels pr me No. 1 Minnesota Spring, May options, at $1 64 ₩ bushel....Corn has been in fair demand, partly for export, at rather firmer prices for the better grades. Sales have been reported of 94,000 bushels at 83c.@86½c. for new Mixed Western, mostly at 85c.@86c. for fair to prime; 86c.@87c. mainly at 87c., for old do. do.; 85½c.@87c. for Yellow Western, and 86c.@86½c. for White do....Rye inactive, within the range of $1 10@$1 15 ₩ bushel....Of Canada Peas, 4 car-loads sold at $1 01, in bond, ₩ bushel, showing a further decline....Barley in moderate demand, with sales reported of 17,500 bushels German at $1 70@$1 72½ ₩ bushel....Barley-malt quiet and unsettled....Oats have been a shade dearer, with a good inquiry noted sales, 45,000 bushels at 62½c.@65c. for Mixed Western; 63½c.@67½c. for very poor to choice White do....Feed in demand and quoted at from $27@$35 ₩ ton.

MOLASSES—The recent arrivals have added little to the available supply. A cargo of 357 hhds. and 40 tcs. Sagua, with invoices of 27 hhds. do., 199 hhds. Cardenas, and 120 hhds. Mayaguez, lately received, and as yet reported unsold. The more desirable qualities of foreign have been held generally above the views of buyers, and though the demand has been fair, especially on refining account, transactions have been restricted. A cargo of 416 hhds., 38 tcs., and 7 bbls. Cardenas has been purchased for refining at 39c. Sales were also made of 50 hhds. Sagua at 39½c., and 50 hhds. Porto Rico on private terms. The jobbing business in foreign has been moderately active; in New-Orleans tame, within our range: We quote: Cuba, Muscovado, Refining, (50 test,) 39c.@40c.; Grocery do. at 38c.@48c.; Porto Rico, 45c.@70c., the latter for fancy; English Islands, 32c.@48c.; New-Orleans, 68c.@75c. for good to very fancy.

NAVAL STORES—Resin firm and in fair demand, with Strained quoted at $2 70. Sales, 1,500 bbls. good Strained, deliverable from May 1 to Sept. 1, at $3 ₩ 280 lbs., and at Wilmington 3,500 bbls. Strained on private terms....Tar dull at $2 50; City Pitch, $3 ₩ bbl.... Spirits Turpentine in moderate request, with sales of 200 bbls., at 40½c.@41c. for merchantable.

OILS—Crude Whale has been inactive since our last, but quoted steady. Crude Sperm has been in good demand at full rates. Sales at New-Bedford, 825 bbls., for home use, on private terms, and 1,090 bbls., for export, at $1 60. Refined Whale and Sperm about as before in price, but slow of sale. Linseed in moderate request, in a jobbing way, at former figures. Lard-oil in less demand. Menhaden rather slow of sale. Cotton-seed in some request. Most other kinds dull. Crude Whale quoted at 60c.@63c.; Unbleached Whale, 68c.@70c.; Bleached Whale, 70c.@72c.; Crude Sperm at $1 60@$1 65; Unbleached Sperm, $1 80@$1 85; Bleached at $1 87½@$1 90; Lard-oil at 82c.@85c.; Red Oil at 48c.; Saponified do. at 52c.; Linseed-oil, at from 98c.@99c., in cks. and bbls.; Olive-oil at $1 15, in cks.; Menhaden, 41c.@42c.; Crude Cotton-seed at 45c.@47½c.; Yellow do. at 52½c.@55c.; White do. at 60c.@65c.; Palm-oil at 8c.@8¼c.; Refined Spermaceti, 25½c.@26c.

PETROLEUM—Crude has been firm, but quiet on the basis of 7⅜c.@7½c., in bulk....Refined in fair demand, with early deliveries quoted at 15⅞c.@16c. Sales, 3,000 bbls. deliverable by May 15, at 16c.; and 5,000 bbls. High Test, deliverable first half of June, at 16⅝c. And at Philadelphia, 5,000 bbls. Refined, deliverable to suit vessel, to be ready May 15, at 16c....Refined, in cases, quiet at 20c.@20½c....Naphtha, 9c.@9¼c.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been in moderate request at about steady rates. Sales have been reported, for early delivery, of 200 bbls. new Western Mess, in lots, at $17, with small lots of Western Prime Mess at $15@$15 62½, and of Extra Prime at $14 12½ @$14 62½, ₩ bbl. And for forward delivery, of new Western Mess, sales were made of 1,500 bbls., May options, at $16 75; 1,000 bbls., June, at $16 90; and 500 bbls., July, at $17 12½....Dressed Hogs dull at 7⅜c. for City....Cut-meats quoted about steady, on, however, a comparatively tame movement. Sales, 15,000 lbs. Bellies, in bulk, 12 lbs. to 10 lbs. at 9¼c.@10c.; 1,500 Pickled Shoulders at 7½c.@7⅝c.; 500 Smoked Shoulders at 8½c.; 1,500 Smoked Hams at 12¾c.@13c.; and 200 tcs. Western Pickled Hams, 15 lb. averages, on private terms.... Bacon quiet and rather weak in price, though offered reservedly. Sales 50 bxs. Long Clear on private terms, quoted at 9⅞c.; 35 bxs. Short Clear at 10¼c....Lard has favored buyers slightly on a restricted business. Sales for early delivery embrace 450 tcs. Western Steam at 10⅛c.@10⅜c., the latter rate for very choice; 150 tcs. Western Kettle at 10 5-16c.@10½c. for fair to very choice; 800 tcs. City Steam and Kettle at 10⅛c.@10¼c.; and 1,100 tcs. Refined on private terms, quoted at 10⅝c.@10¾c. And for forward delivery, of Western Steam, 750 tcs., April options, at 10 3-16c.; 2,500 tcs., May, at 10 3-16c.; and 1,750 tcs., June, at 10 5-16c.@10⅜c., closing at 10 5-16c.... Beef has been quiet but steady; sales 80 bbls., in lots. We quote at from $10@$12 for Plain Mess; $12 50@$14 for Extra Mess, ₩ bbl.; $20@$23 for Prime Mess; $24@$36 for India Mess; $31@$32 for Extra do., ₩ tierce....Beef Hams dull at $24@$25 for Western, and $16@$23 for Southern; sales 125 bbls....Butter and Cheese in moderate demand within the previous range.

SUGARS—The demand for Raw has been quite active, in part from speculative buyers, but the restricted offerings and former views of holders of the better grades have tended to check operations. Sales have been reported since our last of 2,646 hhds. and 1,360 bxs., including 2,213 hhds. about scant fair to scant good refining Cuba at 7⅛c.@7¾c.; 105 hhds. Muscovado, grocery stock, at 8c.; 26 hhds. refining Cuba at 7⅜c.; 288 hhds. Centrifugal at 8c.; 14 hhds. do. at 8½c.; 400 bxs. Centrifugal (last evening) at 8¾c., and 960 bxs. Molasses Sugar (also late yesterday,) at 6⅞c.@7¼c. ₩ lb. We now quote: Fair Refining at 7½c.@7 9-16c.; good do., 7 13-16c.@7⅝c.; prime do., 7 15-16c.; fair to choice Grocery do., 8c.@8⅝c.; No. 12 Box Clayed stock at 8 3-16c.; Centrifugal stock, 8¼c.@9⅛c.; Manila bags, 6¾c.@7⅜c.; Molasses Sugar, 6⅞c.@7⅜c. Refined Sugars have been in good demand, with Crushed quoted at 10¼c.@10⅜c.; Powdered at 10¼c.@10⅜c.; Granulated, 10c.@10⅛c.; A's, 9¾c.@9⅞c.; Yellow, 7¾c.@9½c. ₩ lb.

TALLOW, &c.—Tallow steady, with sales of 131,000 lbs. at 7½c.@7¾c. for good to choice....Stearine quiet at 11⅜c.@11½c. for the best samples.

TEAS—Have been quite moderately inquired for within the previous range; sales, 700 half-chests Green on private terms.

TOBACCO—Has been moderately inquired for within the previous range. Sales have been reported since our last of 250 hhds. Kentucky at 4½c.@10½c.; 41 cases 1872 State Seed-leaf at 5¼c.; 70 cases 1870 Connecticut at 6½c.; 22 cases 1872 do. at 5c.; 137 cases 1872 Pennsylvania, 163 cases 1872 Ohio, and 130 cases 1872 Wisconsin, on private terms. Manufactured steady but quiet.

WHISKY—Has been quoted steady at 98c½ ₩ gallon; sales, 250 bbls.

WHALEBONE—The recent movements in this line Messrs. Taft, Lee & Co. sum up thus: "The sales since 30th March include 9,000 lbs. Arctic, for export, part on private terms and part at 95c., gold; also, 3,500 lbs. do., for home use, on private terms. We quote Arctic 95c.@$1, gold, according to quality. Stock, March 30, 191,500 lbs.; receipts, 2,500 lbs.; sales, for export, 9,000 lbs.; sales, for home use, 3,500 lbs.; present stock, 181,500 lbs.

FREIGHTS—The feature of the market was the fairly active inquiry for Grain room on berth and charter, with rates quoted firm. Cotton, Flour, and Provisions were also offering rather more freely at the current figures. Vessels for the Petroleum trade were in moderate request....For Liverpool the reported engagements since our last have been, by sail, 180 bales Cotton at 3-16d.; and, by steam, 2,200 bales do. at ¼d.@5-16d., chiefly at ¼d.@9-32d. ₩ lb.; 300 tcs. Beef at 8s. ₩ tierce; 500 bxs. Cheese at 50s.; 2,500 bxs. Bacon at 45s. ₩ ton, and 40 pks. Measurement Goods at 30s. Also a British bark, 349 tons, hence, with a full cargo of Residium, at 6s. 6d. ₩ bbl., round pks....For London, by sail, 2,400 bbls. Flour, at 2s. 6d. ₩ bbl.; 10,000 bushels Grain at 8¾d.@9d. ₩ bushel; 60 bbls. Resin at 2s 6d. ₩ 280 lbs....For Bristol, by steam, 40,000 bushels Grain on private terms, quoted at 11d.@11½d. ₩ bushel; 100 tons Oil-cake, in bags, at 32s. 6d. ₩ ton, and 1,000 bbls. do. at 3s. ₩ bbl....For Cardiff, by steam, 50 bbls. Pork at 7s. ₩ bbl.; 50 tcs. Beef at 8s. ₩ tierce; 50 bxs. Bacon, at 50s. ₩ ton....For a direct port in the United Kingdom, an Austrian bark, 930 tons, hence, with about 5,300 quarters Grain, on private terms....For Cork and orders, a German bark, 365 tons, hence, with about 2,500 bbls. Refined Petroleum, at 5s. 6d. ₩ bbl.; an Italian bark, 560 tons, hence, with about 3,500 quarters Grain at 7s. 6d.; another, 92 tons, hence, with about 2,700 quarters do. at 7s. 6d.; another, 417 tons, hence, with about 2,800 quarters do., at 7s. 6d., with option of Penarth Roads at 7s., and £10 gratuity; an Austrian bark, 627 tons, hence, with about 3,800 quarters do., at 7s. 6d.; a Norwegian bark, 424 tons, (to arrive from Boston,) hence, with about 2,900 quarters do., at 7s. 6d.; an Austrian bark, 390 tons, hence, with about 2,600 quarters do., at about the same rate; two Italian barks, (to arrive,) hence, with 3,000 and 2,500 quarters do., respectively, (June shipments,) reported at 8s., and £10 gratuity; and an Italian brig, 388 tons, with about 2,600 quarters Grain, from Philadelphia, on private terms....For Antwerp, by sail, 200 cases Tobacco on private terms....For Bremen, a German ship, 793 tons, hence, with about 5,400 bbls. Refined Petroleum, reported at 4s. 3d. ₩ bbl....For the German Baltic, a German bark, 303 tons, hence, with about 3,100 bbls. Refined Petroleum, at 5s. 6d. ₩ bbl....For Malta, an Italian bark, 360 tons, hence, with general cargo, on private terms....For Java, an American bark, hence, with about 20,000 cases Petroleum, reported at 42½c....For Ancona, a Norwegian bark, 221 tons, hence, with about 1,500 bbls. Refined Petroleum at 6s. 9d. ₩ bbl....For Trieste, an American bark, 445 tons, (to arrive from Boston,) hence, with about 15,000 cases Petroleum, at 33c....For Barbados, a British brig, 225 tons, with general cargo, from Philadelphia on private terms....For Kennebunk, two schooners, with Lumber from Brunswick, Ga., at $10.

THE STATE OF TRADE.

CHICAGO, April 28.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat firm and in fair demand, at $1 29 for No. 1 Spring; $1 24¾ for No. 2 do., spot; $1 25⅛, May; $1 26⅝, June; No. 3 do., $1 18½; Rejected, $1 10. Corn steady at 64¼c. for No. 2 Mixed, spot; 64⅝c., May; 65¾c.@65⅞c., June; Rejected, Old, 62c.@62¼c.; New, 61c. Oats steady at 46c. for No. 2, cash; 46½c., May; Rejected, 45c. Rye dull and unchanged, at 91c. for No. 2. Barley dull and nominal. Pork in fair demand and lower, at $16 10, cash or May; $16 25, June. Lard in fair demand and lower at $9 65, cash or May; $9 80, June. Bulk Meats—Shoulders, demand fair and market firm; sales at 5⅞c., spot, and May; $6 20 June, all loose; Sides in fair demand, but at lower rates; Short Rib Middles, 8½c., spot, loose. Whisky steady at 95c. Freights to Buffalo, 4c.@4½c. Receipts—9,000 bbls. Flour, 88,000 bushels Wheat, 146,000 bushels Corn, 37,000 bushels Oats, 1,000 bushels Rye, and 3,000 bushels Barley. Shipments—5,000 bbls. Flour, 144,000 bushels Wheat, 50,000 bushels Corn, 28,000 bushels Oats, and 2,000 bushels Barley.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 28.—Imports for the last twenty-four hours—Flour, 6,800 bbls.; Wheat, 17,867 bushels; Corn, 54,832 bushels; Oats, 32,774 bushels. Exports—Wheat, 16,800 bushels; Corn, 26,800 bushels; Oats, 26,609 bushels. Grain—The market is very dull, and will remain so for a few days, until the straits are clear of ice to permit up-lake freights to pass down. Flour quiet; Western Spring, $6 75@$7; Bakers' $7 25@$7 75; Amber, $7 75@$8 25; White, $8 50@$9. Wheat dull; sales of Milwaukee No. 1 Spring at $1 54 on the track; Milwaukee No. 2 Spring held at $1 47; Red Winter, $1 55@$1 60; White Winter, $1 60@$1 75. Corn slow; sales of 4,200 bushels new in store at 76c.; 1,200 bushels High Mixed in store at 78c. Oats quiet; sales of 5,000 bushels No. 2 Western, in store, at 53c. Barley dull; Canada, $1 70@$1 80; No. 3 Western, $1 55@$1 60; no No. 2 in the market. Rye nominal at $1 05. Barley-malt firm; Canada, $1 90@$2 05; Western, $1 80@$1 90. Other articles unchanged.

ST. LOUIS, April 28.—Flour dull; only an order trade. Wheat dull for all grades except the best; sales of No. 2 Spring at $1 26½@$1 26½; No. 3 Fall, $1 38. Corn active and higher at 68½c. for No. 2 Mixed, on track and in elevator; 70c. June; 79c. May. Oats active and higher at 50c.@51½c. for No. 2, on track and in elevator. Barley—All grades below the best neglected; small sales of strictly prime Minnesota at $1 55. Rye firm at $1 02. Whisky firm at 94c. Pork dull; no sales; generally held at $16 75. Dry-salted Meats—Dealers apart; some inquiry for Clear Rib Sides at Quincy. Bacon dull; only a small jobbing and order trade. Lard—None in the market. Live Hogs dull at $4 50@$4 75 for Light; $5@$5 25 for Bacon; $5 25@$5 75 for Heavy. Cattle quiet $2 25@$4 25 for Cows and Heifers; $4@$4 50 for fair Butchers; $5@$6 for Prime to Choice. Receipts—4,000 bbls. Flour; 26,000 bushels Wheat; 28,000 bushels Corn; 18,000 bushels Oats; 1,000 bushels Rye, and 2,600 Hogs.

OSWEGO, N. Y., April 28.—Flour unchanged; sales of 1,800 bbls. at $7 75 for No. 1 Spring; $8 75 for Amber Winter; $9 25 for White Winter; $9 75 for Double Extra. Wheat dull; sales of one car Extra White Michigan at $1 85; two cars No. 1 do. at $1 75. Corn steady; sales of 2,400 bushels at 83c. Barley quiet; Canada held at $1 75. Corn-meal, $1 75 for Bolted; $1 70 for Unbolted, ₩ cwt. Mill-feed unchanged; Shorts, $26; Shipstuffs, $27; Middlings, $28 ₩ ton. Railroad Freights—Flour to Boston, 50c.; to New-York, 40c.; to Albany, 36c. Receipts—302,000 feet Lumber.

CINCINNATI, April 28.—Flour in improved demand at unchanged prices. Wheat quiet and unchanged at $1 43@$1 45. Corn firm at 65c.@68c. Oats quiet and steady at 48c.@56c. Rye steady at $1 08. Barley dull at $1 52 for No. 3 Spring. Butter firm and unchanged. Pork in good demand; large sales for Southern market at $17. Lard firm at 10c. for Steam; 10¼c. for Kettle. Bulk Meats steady at 6¼c. for Shoulders; 8⅝c. for Clear Rib Sides, spot; 8⅞c., buyer May; Clear Sides, 9⅛c. Bacon steady at 7¼c. for Shoulders; 9½c. for Clear Rib Sides; 9¾c. for Clear Sides. Whisky firm at 93c.

LOUISVILLE, April 28.—Flour unchanged. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn firm and in fair demand at 76c.@77c. Oats quiet and unchanged at 57c.@58c. Rye sold at $1 10. Provisions dull. Pork sold at $17. Bulk Meats sold at 6⅜c. for Shoulders; 8¾c. for Clear Rib Sides; 9⅛c. for Clear Sides. Bacon sold at 7¼c. for Shoulders; 9⅜c. for Clear Rib Sides; 10c. for Clear Sides. Sugar-cured Hams sold at 12¾c.@13¼c. Plain, 11¼c.@12c. Lard sold at 10¼c. for Tierce; 10¾c. for Keg. Whisky sold at 93c.

MILWAUKEE, April 28.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat quiet at $1 32 for No. 1; $1 28 for No. 2; May, $1 28⅛; June, $1 28¾. Oats steady at 46c. for No. 2. Corn steady 64c. for No. 2 Mixed. Rye steady at 90½c. for No. 1 Fresh. Barley dull and nominally $1 55 for No. 2 Spring; $1 35 for No. 3 do. Provisions quiet and steady. Pork sold at $16 25@$16 50. Hams in pickle, 10½c.@11c. Dry-salted Meats sold at 6c. for Shoulders, loose. Lard, 9¾c.@10c. Receipts—7,000 bbls. Flour, 96,000 bushels Wheat. Shipments—37,000 bushels Wheat.

TOLEDO, April 28.—Flour firm and in fair demand. Wheat steady at $1 61 for No. 1 White Michigan; $1 69 for Extra do.; $1 48¾ for Amber Michigan; May, $1 48½; June, $1 52½; No. 2 Canal Red, $1 47½. Corn active and higher at 73c.@74c. for High Mixed; May, 72c.; July, 73c.; Low Mixed, 72c.; no grade, 56c. Oats—No. 2, 52½c.; Michigan, 53½c. Receipts—2,000 bbls. Flour, 13,000 bushels Wheat, 18,000 bushels Corn, 1,000 bushels Oats. Shipments—32,000 bushels Corn and 3,000 bushels Oats.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 28.—Wheat without movement, but market steady. Rye quiet; nominally $1 10 for car lots. Corn dull; old quoted 88c.@90c.; new Western Mixed held at 87c. for lots on the spot, and 86c. for lots to arrive. Oats in fair demand at an advance; sales, 3 cars No. 2 Mixed State at 65c.; 1 car No. 1 White Western at 68c.; 1 car No. 1 Western at 65c. Barley quiet; no Canada offering. Malt steady.

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 28.—Spirits of Turpentine quiet; Resin steady; $2 20 for Strained. Crude Turpentine steady; $2 for Hard, $3 for Yellow Dip, $3 50 for Virgin. Tar steady at $2.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, April 28—12:30 P. M.—The rate for money at the Stock Exchange, on Government securities, is 3½ ₩ cent. United States 5-20 bonds, 109 for the issue of 1867. Erie Railway Shares, 32½.

2 P. M.—Erie Railway Shares, 33.

3:30 P. M.—The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day is £105,000. Erie Railway Shares, 32½. Paris dispatches quote Rentes at 59f. 80c.

5 P. M.—Consols, 92⅝@92¾ for money and the account. Erie Railway Shares, 32½@32¾; do. preferred, 53½.

6:30 P. M.—Paris dispatches quote Rentes at 59f. 70c.

FRANKFORT, April 28.—United States 5-20 Bonds, 98⅜ for the issue of 1862.

LIVERPOOL, April 28—12:30 P. M.—Cotton—The market is quieter; sales, 12,000 bales, including 2,000 bales taken for export and speculation; sales on the basis of Middling Uplands, nothing below Good Ordinary, shipped March, at 8 7-16d.; do. do., deliverable April, at 8¼d.; do. do., deliverable June and July, at 8⅝d.; do. nothing below Low Middling, deliverable April, at 8 5-16d. Wheat—The receipts for the past three days have been 26,000 quarters, of which 13,000 were American.

2 P. M.—Cotton—Of the sales to-day 7,600 bales were American. Sales on the basis of Middling Uplands, nothing below Low Middling, deliverable June and July, at 8 7-16d.; sales on the basis of Middling Orleans, nothing below Low Middling, deliverable May and June, at 8 9-16d. Breadstuffs—The market is quiet. Wheat, 12s. 6d.@12s. 10d. ₩ cental for average California White; 12s. 10d.@13s. for Club do., and 11s. 8d.@12s. 6d. for Red Western Spring. Peas, 42s. 6d. ₩ quarter for Canadian. Provisions—Beef, 89s. ₩ tierce. Pork, 65s. ₩ bbl. for new Mess.

5 P. M.—Cotton—Sales on the basis of Middling Uplands, nothing below Low Middling, shipped March, at 8 7-16d. Trade Report—The market for Yarns and Fabrics at Manchester is steady. Provisions—Lard, 45s. 6d. ₩ cwt.

Evening.—Common Resin, 6s. 6d. ₩ cwt.

LONDON, April 28.—Refined Petroleum, 12d.@12¼d. ₩ gallon.

Evening.—Linseed-oil, £28 3s. ₩ ton. Spirits Turpentine, 30s. ₩ cwt.

6:30 P. M.—Tallow, 38s. 3d.@38s. 6d. ₩ cwt.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 28.—Cattle—Receipts to-day, including 41 cars reported to arrive, 1,156 head, making the total supply for the week thus far 4,876 head, or 275 cars, against 337 cars for the same time last week. The market opened slow, owners asking from strong last week's prices to ¼c. advance. Eastern buyers are holding out of the market. Trade is confined exclusively to country dealers and local butchers. The little trade transacted was at a slight advance. Sales, 450 head Illinois Steers, ranging from 1,040 to 1,276 lbs., at $5 50@$6 25; 76 head Missouri Steers, ranging from 1,156 to 1,287 lbs., at $5 87½; 23 head State Stillers, averaging 981 lbs., at $4 60. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts thus far this week, 4,000 head, against 5,000 head for the same time last week. The run was light; the market was active at ¼c. advance on all grades; sales, 975 head Michigan and Ohio Wooled Sheep, ranging from 82 to 91 lbs., at $7 12½@$8 20; 1,416 head Ohio Clipped Sheep, ranging from 75 to 104 lbs., at $5 50@$6 75. Hogs—Receipts to-day, including reported arrivals, 1,500 head, making the total supply for the week, thus far, 15,000 head, against 10,000 head for the same time last week. The market was slow at $5 30@$5 50 for Yorkers; $5 65@$5 90 for heavy Hogs.

WATERTOWN, Mass., April 28.—Beef Cattle—Receipts, 281 head; stock light; prices ¼c. ₩ lb. lower; sales of Market Beef at $8 50@$9 75 for choice; $8 50@$9 for Extra; $7 50@$8 for first quality; $6@$7 for second quality; $5@$5 75 for third quality. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 940 head; ½c. ₩ lb. higher; sales, in lots, at $4@$5 50 each; Extra, $6@$8 75.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

SALES AT THE STOCK EXCHANGE—APRIL 28.

SALES BEFORE THE CALL—10 A. M.

800 Western Union	73	200 Erie	36⅝
1500 do	73¼	200 do	36½
800 do	73⅛	400 do	36⅜
500 do	73	500 Union Pacific	34⅛
500 do	72⅞	700 do	34⅛
3000 do	72¾	2500 do	34¼
800 do c.	73⅛	1000 do	34¼
100 do c.	72⅞	500 do	34⅛
500 do	72⅞	3000 do c.	34⅜
1200 do	72⅞	400 do	34⅜
400 do c.	72⅞	1000 do c.	34⅛
300 do	73	1000 do	34¼
800 do	73⅛	500 do	34⅜
500 do	73¼	900 do	34½
100 Pacific Mail	44	500 do	34⅝
100 do c.	44	4600 do	34½
300 do	44⅛	1000 do	34⅜
500 do	44	1300 do	34¼
100 do c.	43¾	400 North-western	47
500 do	43¾	900 do	47⅛
1800 do	43⅞	100 do	47
400 do	44	100 do	46⅞
100 do	44⅛	500 do	46¾
100 do	44⅛	300 do	47
400 do	44¼	100 do c.	47
200 do	44⅜	100 North-west. Pf.	66
500 do	44½	100 Ohio & Miss	27¼
300 do	44¾	100 do	27⅛
700 N. Y. C. & Hud	98⅜	100 do	27
100 do s4.	98½	400 Rock Island	99⅝
200 do	98⅜	100 do	99¾
200 do	98¾	100 do	99⅝
400 St. Paul	38	100 do	99½
300 do	37⅞	100 do c.	99¼
400 do	37⅞	250 do	99⅝
400 do	37⅞	100 do	99⅞
400 do	37⅞	100 do b3.	99¾
400 do	38	300 C., C. & I. C	22⅝
500 Lake Shore	76⅞	400 do	22½
200 do	77	50 do	22⅞
500 do	76⅞	23 do	23
300 do	76¾	200 do	22⅝
100 do c.	76⅝	500 Tol. & Wab.	42¾
100 do	76⅝	500 do	42⅝
300 do	76¾	200 do	42⅞
400 do	76⅞	300 do	42½
300 do	77	100 do	42⅜
100 do s10.	77	100 do	42¼
300 do	77⅛	200 do	42½
500 do	77¼	500 do	42⅞
100 do c.	77⅛	100 Han. & St. Jos	29
500 do s3.	77	100 H. & St. Jos. Pref.	33½
100 At. & Pac. Pref.	14¼	100 do s3.	34

GOVERNMENT STOCKS—10:15 AND 11:30 A. M.

$10,000 U. S. 5-20 R., '67 b. c.	119⅞	$2,500 U. S. 5-20 C., '68 b. c.	120⅜
2,500 do b. c	120	500 U.S.5-20C.,'64	120¼
20,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67	120⅝	15,000 do b. c. b3.	120½
10,000 do 12	120⅝	10,000 U.S. 5s,'81,C., 12	116¾

FIRST BOARD—10:30 A. M.

$5,000 Tenn. 6s, old, ex coup.	65	1100 N. Y. C. & H. b. c.	98⅝
5,000 Tenn. 6s, new series b. c.	65	600 do	98¾
1,000 A. & Susq. 2d.	97½	300 do b3.	98¾
6,000 N. J. Cen. Con.	103⅜	200 do	98⅞
1,000 C. & N. W. con.	89½	200 do	98⅝
3,000 C. & N. W. con. coup. gold bds.	85½	100 do	98¾
		126 N. J. Cen b. c.	105⅛
		700 L. S. & M. S. b. c. b3.	77
3,000 do b. c.	86	300 do	76⅞
2,000 M. & Essex 2d	101	1400 do	76¾
3,000 Mich. S. 2d	102½	400 do c.	76¾
1,000 B. & Erie, new	95	700 do	77
500 L. S. Div. bds.	94½	500 do	77⅛
5,000 Mich. Cen. 7s	98⅛	1000 do	77¼
2,000 do	98	1700 do	77⅜
2,000 N. Y. C. 6s, '83	95	2600 do	77⅛
10,000 Ohio & M. Con.	90	1800 do	77⅜
1,000 O. & M. C. S. F.	93	200 do s3.	77⅛
1,000 West. P. bds.	87¼	100 do	77¼
12,000 Un. Pac. 1st	85¾	300 do	77⅜
3,000 do	85⅞	100 do s60.	77
2,000 do	86	600 do	77⅜
23,000 U. P. 10s, Inc.	86	2500 do	77½
2,000 C. P. gold bds.	94⅞	400 do	77⅝
2,000 C. & P. C. S. F.	100	200 do	77½
2,000 A.& T.H. 2d Pf.	88	500 do	77⅜
10,000 N.J.C.1st,new	109	2100 Un. Pacific b. c.	34¼
1,000 W. Un. T. 7s	99⅞	1000 do	34⅜
9,000 do	100	1200 do	34½
6,000 L.&N.con.'98	87½	500 do	34⅜
4,000 Del., L. & W. Conv't b. c.	104½	00 do	34⅜
		1600 do	34⅞
15 Fourth Nat. B'k	106	300 do	34⅝
6 Bank S. of N. Y.	110	100 do s3.	34⅝
120 D. & H. Canal b.c.	116	1800 do	34⅝
200 S. M. Coal b. c.	70	1600 do	34⅞
100 do b3.	70	1800 do	34¾
200 Am. Dist. Tel.	55	2500 do	34½
200 Pac. Mail b. c.	44⅝	100 C. & R. I. b. c. c.	99½
500 do	44⅛	200 do	99⅝
500 do	45	100 do s3.	99⅝
700 do	44⅞	100 do	99¾
700 do	44⅞	100 C., M. & St. P. b. c. b3.	38
800 do	44⅞	400 do	37⅞
800 do	44⅝	100 do	37¾
600 do	44½	300 do	37⅝
100 do	44⅜	300 do	37⅝
100 do	44½	200 do c.	37⅞
500 do	44¾	100 do	37⅞
1000 do	44¾	500 do	38
400 do	45	500 do	38
700 do	45⅛	10 Morris & Es b. c.	94½
1800 do	45	200 C. & N. W b. c.	47⅛
200 Erie Railway b. c.	36⅜	100 do b3.	47
100 do	36¼	100 do	46¾
400 do	36⅛	100 do	46⅞
50 N. Y., N. H. & H.	132	300 do	46⅞
700 W. Un. Tel b. c.	73¼	200 do	46⅞
300 do	73⅜	100 do	46¾
1300 do	73⅜	200 do	46⅞
500 do	73⅞	300 do	46⅞
1200 do	73¾	300 do	46⅞
1000 do	73⅞	100 do b3.	47
1800 do	73¾	100 do	46⅞
3300 do	73½	100 do c.	46⅞
700 do b3.	73⅜	100 do	46⅞
900 do	73¾	100 C. & N. W. Pf. b. c.	66¼
1000 do	73¾	100 Tol. & W b. c.	42½
700 do	73⅞	500 do	42¼
1900 do	73⅞	500 do	42⅜
800 do	73⅞	400 do	42⅜
3100 do	73⅞	100 do	42¾
100 do b3.	74	400 do	42¾
700 do	73⅞	100 do	43
600 do	73¾	200 D., L. & W b. c.	106
300 do	74	320 do	106⅛
2700 do	74	100 do	106⅜
2600 do	74⅛	100 do	106½
300 do c.	74⅛	16 P., Ft. W. & C. G. b. c.	94
100 do	74¼	7 do	93½
200 do	74⅛	17 do	94
1100 do	74	100 H. & St. J. Pf. b. c.	34¼
1100 do	74⅛	1000 O. & M. b. c. b3.	27
100 do	74¼	100 do	27⅛
1500 do	74¼	300 do	27¼
8300 do	74⅛	100 O. & M. Pf b. c.	50
500 do	73⅞	100 C., C. & I. C. b. c.	22½
1300 do	74	100 At. & Pac. Pf. b. c.	14¼

SALES BEFORE THE CALL—12:30 P. M.

2000 U. P. Land Grant	80½	300 Lake Shore	77¼
600 West'n Union s3.	73⅞	100 do	77⅜
200 do	73⅞	100 do	77½
300 do b3.	74	45 do	77⅜
300 do	73⅞	100 do	77⅜
1000 do s3.	73⅞	300 do	77⅜
1300 do	74	100 do	77½
2800 do	74	400 do	77⅜
300 do c.	74	300 do	77⅝
100 do	74⅛	400 do	77⅜
1700 do	74¼	1100 do	77½
700 do b3.	74⅜	2400 do	77¾
1100 do	74¼	100 do	77¼
1000 do	74⅛	1100 do	77⅝
1700 do	74⅝	500 Union Pacific	34⅛
1400 do	74⅜	100 do c.	34½
700 do	74⅝	100 do s3.	34⅛
800 N. Y. C. & Hud	98⅜	800 do	34⅜
300 do	98⅞	100 do b3.	34⅝
300 do	98⅞	300 do	34⅝
300 do	98⅝	1200 do	34½
100 Rock Island	99½	2200 do	34⅞
30 do	99⅞	100 do s3.	34⅞
100 do b3.	99¾	1000 do	34⅞
200 Pacific Mail	44⅞	1500 do b3.	35
200 do	44⅞	1000 do	35
300 do	44⅞	300 do	35⅛
400 do	45	100 do	35
300 do	45⅛	200 do b3.	35
100 do b3.	45⅛	200 St. Paul	38
700 do	45¼	400 do	38¼
100 do	45⅜	400 do	38⅛
100 do b3.	45½	100 do	38¼
500 do	45½	100 Tol. & Wab.	42½
800 do	45⅝	100 do b3.	42⅞
200 do	45¾	200 do	42¾
200 Harlem s3.	127	700 do	42⅞
200 North-western	46⅞	10 C., B. & Q.	103¼
300 do	47	100 Morris & Essex	94½
200 do	47⅛	35 do c.	94½
200 do	47¼	100 Ohio & Miss.	27¼
300 do	47⅜	100 H. & St. Jo. Pf.	34½
140 do	47⅜	100 C., C. & I. C.	22¾
200 do	47⅛	100 do	22⅞
100 do c.	47⅛	60 Atlantic & Pac.	14½
100 North-w'n Pf.	66		

GOVERNMENT STOCKS—2 P. M.

$1,000 U. S. 5-20'C., 1865, new	$120	$5,500 U. S. 5-20, R., 1867 s3.	$119⅞
8,500 U.S.5s,C.,'81	117		

SECOND BOARD—1 P. M.

$5,000 S. C.6s,n.J.&J.	7	700 Chic. & N. W. b. c.	47¼
5,000 T.6s, old,Ex.C.	64	100 do s3.	47⅛
17,000 T. 6s, n.,Ex.C.	65	100 do	47⅛
5,000 T. 6s, new S's	64¾	300 do	47
10,000 N.Y.C. 1st C. b. c.	105¾	100 do	46⅞
5,000 N. Y. C. 1st R.	105⅞	100 do	47
5,000 U. Pac. 1st	86½	200 do	47⅛
1,000 U. Pac. 10s, In.	87	100 C. & N. W. Pf. b. c.	66½
1,000 do	87½	100 N.Y.C.&H.R.b.c.b3.	98¾
9,000 do	88	500 do	98⅝
5,000 West.U.T.bds.	100	100 do b3.	98⅝
5,000 Alb. & Sus 2d.	97½	300 do	98½
1,000 Morris&Es.1st	107	500 L. S. & M. So. b. c.	77⅜
7,000 C. & N.W.Con. Coup. G. B.	86	600 do	77¼
		100 do	77⅜
100 Quick. Min b. c.	22¾	200 do	77⅜
100 do	23½	200 do c.	77⅜
75 Am. Ex	62	100 do s3.	77¼
15 do b. c.	62¼	400 do	77⅜
200 do	62½	200 do b3.	77⅛
20 do	63	500 do	77⅝
500 Erie b. c.	36⅜	600 do	77½
400 do	36¼	100 do	77⅝
1700 West. U. T. b. c.	74½	100 do	77⅜
1800 do	74⅝	400 Un. Pac b. c.	35
100 do b3.	74¾	100 do	34⅞
1000 do	74⅞	600 do	34⅝
700 do	74⅝	500 do	34¾
900 do	74⅝	500 do	34½
100 do b3.	75	200 do	34⅝
200 do	74¾	300 do s3.	35⅛
2400 do	74⅝	500 do	34¾
1000 do s3.	74½	300 do	34⅝
500 do	74¾	35 N. J. Cen b. c.	104¾
2400 do	74⅝	126 Chic & R. I. b. c.	99¾
200 do b3.	75	300 do	99⅞
400 do s3.	74¾	100 do	99⅞
300 do	74¾	100 do	99¾
100 do	74⅞	100 Ohio & Miss b. c.	27⅛
100 Mich. Cen b. c.	78	100 do	27⅛
100 do	78¼	400 C., M. & St. P. b. c.	38⅛
700 Pac. M.S.S.Co.b.c.	45⅞	200 do	38
600 do	45¾	200 do s3.	38¼
500 do	45⅞	300 T., W. & W b. c.	42⅞
400 do	45¾	100 do	42⅞
300 do	45⅞	1000 do	42⅝
1800 do	45⅝	100 do	42½
800 do b3.	45½	100 P., Ft. W. & C. Gd.	94
400 do	45⅝	100 Morris & Essex	94½
1100 do	45⅞	100 St. L. & I. M b. c.	34
400 do	45⅞	50 At. & Pac. Pf. b. c.	14¾
200 do	45⅝	300 C., C. & I. C b. c.	22¼

SALES FROM 2:30 TO 3 P. M.

$1,000 Mich. Cen. 8s	109	100 Erie	36¼
720 N. Y. C. & H	98⅝	100 do	36⅜
100 do b3.	98¾	200 Rock Island b3.	100
100 do	98⅞	100 do	99⅞
100 do b60.	98¾	100 do s3.	99⅞
500 do b3.	98⅞	300 Ohio & Miss.	27⅝
200 do	98¾	400 Lake Shore c.	77⅝
700 do	98⅞	100 do	77⅝
900 do	98⅞	100 do	77⅝
1500 do b3.	99	100 do	77⅝
400 West. Un	74⅜	1400 do	77⅝
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1800 West. Union s3.	74½	1500 Un. Pac	34⅝
800 do	74½	1800 do	34⅝
500 do b60.	74⅜	200 do s3.	34⅝
1300 do b3.	74⅜	400 do	34⅝
500 do s3.	74⅜	400 do	34¾
200 do	74⅜	800 do	34⅝
100 Am. Dist. T	55	1100 do	34½
100 Pac. Mail	45⅞	150 St. Paul Pref.	58¼
200 do b3.	45¾	150 St. Paul	38¼
100 do	45¾	200 do s3.	38
400 do	45⅝	300 do	38
200 do	45⅝	100 do	37⅞
200 do	45⅜	200 do b3.	38
1800 do	45⅜	100 C., C. & I. C.	22⅞
2200 do	45⅞	200 North-west	47⅛
400 do	45⅞	200 do	47
300 do	45⅞	900 do	46⅞
100 N. J. Cen	105¼	500 do	46¾
200 St. L. & Iron M	33		

TUESDAY, April 28—P. M.

There is a little less firmness in Gold and Exchange than at the close of business on Monday. The sales of Gold ran up to 113⅛@113¼ @111⅝@113⅛ ₱ cent., and then settled down at about 113 ₱ cent. The leading drawers of Exchange lowered their asking terms to $4 87½ to the £ Sterling. It is probable that some Bills have made their appearance drawn against recent negotiations in London for account of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The rise in the rates to the Gold shipping points has, also, probably induced other Exchange to be made against Stocks and Bonds for transmission to London. The Public Funds of the foreign class are being bought up for this direction as rapidly as they appear in market, and at very full rates. The 5-20s of 1867 sold up to 120⅝@120¾ ₱ cent. this forenoon. Money continues easy at 4@5 ₱ cent. on call loan to the Stock Brokers, who are doing a large business to-day for the *Bull* account at the Exchange.

The Stock market showed increased strength to-day, although the calculation early in the day was that the sudden rise on the Share list last night would hardly be maintained. The new *Bull* account was in the ascendant on Western Telegraph, Pacific Mail, Lake Shore, and Union Pacific, and the buying in these Stocks was by the thousands of Shares, and, to all appearances, quite confident of a further advance. The impression prevailed on the Street, without immediate support in the telegrams of the day from Washington, that Congress and the President will soon come together on some sort of Free Banking Bill, coupled with the gradual redemption or funding of part of the Greenback Circulation. But without reference to this opinion or prospect, it is felt that the worst of the financial situation is now understood through the Veto of last week, which, in any event, will only leave the present Currency status undisturbed.

Closing Quotations—April 28.

	Monday.	Tuesday.
United States new 5s	116½	116¾
U. S. 5-20s, May and November	121	121¾
U. S. 5-20s, January and July	120¼	120¾
American Gold	113⅛	113
Bills on London, 60 days	$4 88	$4 87½
N. Y. Central and Hudson	98¾	99
Chicago and Rock Island	99¾	99⅝
Pacific Mail	43¾	45⅛
St. Paul Common	38⅛	38
Western Union	72⅞	74½
Union Pacific	34¼	34½
Lake Shore	76¾	77¼
Toledo and Wabash	42¼	42¼
Harlem	126	127
North-west	47⅞	46¾
North-west Preferred	66	66
C., C. and Indiana Central	23	22⅝
Delaware and Lackawanna	106	106¾
Central New-Jersey	105¼	105¼
Panama	107¼	108½
Erie	35⅞	36¼
Ohio and Mississippi	27⅛	27⅜

The Gold market closed tame at 113 ₱ cent. The weaker rates of Exchange are due, in some degree, to the increased Exports of Produce from New-York this week, which amount to $7,295,229 in value. No engagements of Gold Coin for shipment by the steamers this week have yet been reported. The Sub-Treasury paid out $275,000 Gold Interest to-day. The Customs receipts, $298,000.

The Share speculation left off firm in prices, but with less buoyancy of demand than last night.

The last prices for the various Public Funds of the United States are as follows:

6 ₱ cent. reg., '81	120	5-20 reg., '67	119⅞
6 ₱ cent. coup., '81	122	5-20 coup., '67	120⅜
5-20 reg., '62	116¼	5-20 reg., '68	119¾
5-20 coup., '62	118¾	5-20 coup., '68	120½
5-20 reg., '64	116¾	10-40 reg.	115
5-20 coup., '64	120¾	10-40 coup.	115½
5-20 reg., '65	116¾	5s reg., '81	115¼
5-20 coup., '65	121¾	5s coup., '81	116¾
5-20 reg., n. i., '65	119½	6s Currency, '95-9	116¾
5-20 coup., n. i., '65	120		

The following bids were made at the Exchange Board for the Railroad Bonds:

Albany & Sus.1st bs.	103¼	M.S. & N.I.S.F.7 ₱ ct.	104½
Albany & Sus.2d bs.	97	Clev. & Tol. S. F.	103
Boston, H. & E. 1st.	26½	Clev.,P.&Ash.old bs.	99
B., C. R.& M.1st7s,g.	55	Clev.P.&Ash.newbs.	94
Chi. & Alton S. F.	100	Det., Mon. & Tol. bs.	98
Chi. & Alton 1st	106½	Buf. & Erie new bs.	95
Chi. & Alton Inc.	95	Lake Shore Div. bs.	94½
Joliet & Chi. 1st	107	Mich.C.Cons.7s,1902	98
St. L., J. & Chi. 1st	90	N. J. Southern 1st	36
Ches. & Ohio 1st	52	N. Y. Central 6s, '83	94
Ches. & Ohio ex-c.	45	N. Y. Central 6s, '87	93½
Chi., R. I. & Pacific	105	N. Y. Central 7s, '76	100
Cen. of N. J.1st,new	108½	N. Y. Cen. 7s, '65-'76	100
Cen. of N. J. 2d	100	N. Y. C. & H. 1st C.	105½
C. of N. J.,Con.Conv	103¼	N. Y. C. & H. 1st. R.	105
Am. Dock & Im.bs	100	Harlem 1st 7s, Coup	107
M. & St.P.1st,La.C.D.	88	North Mo. 1st	82
M. & St.P.1st,C.&M.	81	Ohio & M. Cons. S.F.	92
Chi. & N. W. S. F.	105	Ohio & Miss.2d Cons.	73
Chi. & N. W. Int. bs.	99½	Cen. Pacific Gold bs.	94¾
Chi. & N.W.Cons.bs.	89	Cen. Pac. St. Aid bs.	104
Chi. & N. W. Ex.bs.	89	Western Pacific bs.	87¼
Chi. & N. W. 1st	101⅜	Union Pacific 1st bs.	86
C. & N. W. C. G.bs.	85½	Union Pacific L.G.7s.	80
Gal. & Chi. 2d	100	Union Pacific In.10s.	86
Chicago & Mil. 1st	94¼	Union Pacific S. F.	70½
Del., L. & W. 2d	101	Pacific R. of Mo. 1st.	77½
Del.,L. & W.7s,conv	103¾	Pac.R.7s,guar.by Mo.	99
Morris & Es. 1st	105½	Pitts.,Ft.W.& C.1st	106
Morris & Es. 2d	101	Pitts., Ft.W.& C.2d	101
Mer. & Es. Conv. bs.	92	Clev. & Pitts. 3d	102½
Mor. & Es. 7s of '71	91½	Clev. & Pitts. 4th	89½
Erie 1st Extended	103½	C., C. & Ind. 1st	83
Erie 2d 7s, 1879	100⅛	Alton & T. H. 1st	100
Erie 4th 7s, 1880	94½	Alton & T. H. 2d Pf.	88
Long Dock bonds	98	B. & S. Ill. 1st 8s	94
Buf.,N.Y.&E.1st,'77	88	Tol.,P.&W.1st.W.D.	77
Han. & St. J. L. G.	98	Tol., P. & War. 2d	58
Ill. C. 7 ₱ ct. '75	100½	Tol., P. & W.Cons.7s	50
Dub. & S. City 1st	94	Tol. & W. Con.Conv.	70½
C. Falls & Min. 1st	77¼	Great West. 1st, '88	92
Mich. S. 7 ₱ ct. 2d	102	Great West. 2d, '93	83

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS—APRIL 28.

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	Bid.	Asked.
City 6s, old	101¼	101⅜
City 6s, new	103¾	103⅞
Camden and Amboy	121¾	122
Pennsylvania Central	103¾	104
Reading	113	113¼
Lehigh Valley	60⅜	60½
Catawissa Preferred	43	43¼
Philadelphia and Erie	19½	20
Northern Central	35	35¼
Lehigh Navigation	86¾	87
Lehigh Gold Loan	96¼	96¾

The May Coupons on the Bonds of the Flint and Pere Marquette Road are advertised to be paid at the Merchants' Exchange Bank. The Bonds of the same Road for lease of the Flint and Holly Road will be paid by the Mechanics' Bank.

The Cedar Rapids and Missouri River Road will pay a Dividend of $2 ₱ share at the office of the Company, No. 114 State street, Boston, May 1.

The Iowa Railroad Land Company will pay a Dividend of $1 50 ₱ share at their Boston Office, May 1.

The Union Bank has declared a Half-Yearly Dividend of *Five ₱ cent.*, payable May 1.

Mr. Frank T. Iselin and Mr. F. D. Barker, (a member of the New-York Stock Exchange,) have constituted a new house, No. 19 Broad street, as Gold and Stock Brokers, under the style of Messrs. Iselin & Barker.

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NEW-ORLEANS, April 28.—Cotton quiet and unchanged; Middling, 17¼c.; Low Middling, 16⅞c.; Good Ordinary, 15½c.; Ordinary, 13½c.; net receipts, 229 bales; gross, 417 bales; exports to Great Britain, 1,864 bales; sales, 11,500 bales; last evening, 1,800 bales; stock, 133,247 bales.

GALVESTON, April 28.—Cotton quiet and unchanged; Good Ordinary, 15½c.; Middling, 17¼c.; net receipts, 771 bales; exports to Great Britain, 2,390 bales; sales, 200 bales; stock, 42,498 bales.

MOBILE, April 28.—Cotton firm; Middling, 17c.; Low Middling, 16¼c.; Good Ordinary, 15¼c.; net receipts, 300 bales; exports coastwise, 1,004 bales; sales, 400 bales; stock, 32,999 bales.

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COOK, &c.—BY TWO YOUNG WOMEN, TOGETHER or separate; City or country; are first-class servants and thoroughly capable; one as chamber-maid, waitress, and laundress; have several year's recommendations for civility, honesty, &c. Call at the Protestant Home Bureau, No. 138 6th av., above 10th st.

COOK.—BY A COLORED YOUNG WOMAN; OR for general house-work; City or country; is very neat, tidy, and obliging; has good recommendations. Can be seen at the Protestant Home Bureau, No. 138 6th av., above 10th st.

COOK AND KITCHEN-MAID.—BY TWO Swedish young women, fully capable in their line of duties; for City or country; have good references as trustworthy, respectful, and obliging. Can be seen at the Home Bureau, No. 138 6th av., above 10th st.

COOK.—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT, AS cook, that understands all kinds of plain cooking, and is willing to assist with the washing and ironing; the best City reference, one year and ten months. Call at No. 320 East 36th st., near 2d av.

COOK.—IN CITY OR COUNTRY, BY AN EXPERIenced woman, as cook; is a good baker, and thoroughly understands the business; would be willing to assist with the washing. Apply at Mrs. Whitfield's, No. 110 6th av., next door to Park & Tilford's grocery.

COOK.—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL AS first-class cook; thoroughly understands her business; has several years' first-class City reference. Call at No. 307 East 50th st., first floor.

COOK, &c.—BY A COMPETENT WOMAN AS thorough cook and to assist with washing; first-class City reference from last place. Call at No. 38 West 13th st., between 5th and 6th avs.

COOK.—BY A WELL-EXPERIENCED WOMAN who understands her duties in every branch; is an excellent meat cook, also a good baker and pastry cook; makes creams, jellies, &c.; no objection to the country; best recommendations. Call at Carpenter's, No. 138 West 11th st., corner of 6th av.

COOK.—BY A THOROUGH SWEDISH COOK IN A private family; speaks fair English; soups of all kinds, and makes best bread and biscuit; willing to assist with washing; City or country. Call at No. 106 6th av., over blue store.

COOK—WAITRESS.—BY A THOROUGH COOK to assist with washing; also a first-class waitress; both thoroughly competent in their respective capacities, and have unexceptionable references. Call at No. 12 East 49th st., present employer's.

COOK.—BY A PROFESSED COOK, FRENCH, JUST landed from Europe, good recommendations from England, where she has lived several years; none need apply without good wages and help. Address A. B., No. 157 West 31st st., first floor, back room.

COOK.—BY A FIRST-CLASS COOK; UNDERSTANDS meat, soups, poultry, game, desserts, jellies, ice-cream; is a good baker; country for the Summer preferred; best City reference. Apply at 220 East 45th st.

COOK.—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN AS PLAIN cook; will assist with washing; City or country; good reference. Call at No. 220 West 18th st.

COOK, &c.—CHAMBER-MAID &c.—A LADY breaking up house-keeping wishes to procure situations for two excellent girls, one as cook, washer and ironer, other as chamber-maid and waitress, or laundress; not particular of living together. Apply after 2 o'clock at No. 264 West 23d st.

COOK AND LAUNDRESS OR GENERAL Servant.—By a neat, industrious girl; is a good cook and excellent washer and ironer; a respectful, intelligent, and economical servant; best references; City or country. Call at 111 Atlantic st., Brooklyn.

COOK.—BY A FIRST-CLASS COOK IN A PRIVATE family; understands soup, game, and larding; also all kinds of desserts and jellies; best of City reference from her last place. Call for two days at No. 239 East 26th st.

COOK, WASHER, AND IRONER.—BY A young woman as good plain cook, washer, and ironer, or would do general house-work in a small family; is a good baker; City reference. Call at No. 263 West 32d st., near 8th av.

COOK.—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT WOman as first-class cook in a private family; best City reference. Call at No. 341 East 25th st., first floor.

COOK.—BY A VERY SMART GERMAN GIRL AS cook or perfect laundress; City or country. Call at No. 279 Bowery, entrance on Houston st.

COOK.—BY A FIRST-CLASS GERMAM COOK; IS A very willing girl; best references. Call at No. 93 East Houston st.

COOK.—BY A GERMAN GIRL, AS COOK, WASHER, and ironer; City or country. Call at 247 Bowery.

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HOUSEKEEPER.—BY A RELIABLE MIDDLE-aged American lady of experience and refinement, as housekeeper in some good family; willing to sew and be useful, more for the good home than remuneration; none but honorable parties need call or address Good Opportunity, No. 45 Park avenue, corner 37th st.

HOUSEKEEPER.—BY A WIDOW LADY, OR would take care of a family's residence while in the country this Summer; has best of reference for ten years. Address Housekeeper, Box No. 220 *Times* Office.

HOUSE-WORK.—BY TIDY, USEFUL YOUNG girls; can do house-work to suit in City or country; have good references, and wages no object, only steady homes. Can be seen at the Home Bureau, No. 138 6th av., above 10th st., over the drug store.

HOUSE-WORK.—BY A GERMAN GIRL WITH two years' references, to do general house-work. Inquire at No. 93 East Houston st.

LADY'S MAID.—BY A VERY RESPECTABLE German girl, to go to Europe for the Summer with a family as lady's maid or nurse, any time within the next two months; will be highly recommended by her present employer, at No. 25 Gramercy Park, where she can be seen during this week; she is a competent seamstress and dress-maker.

LAUNDRESS—USEFUL MAN.—BY A RECENTly-arrived young French couple; man understands care of horses, garden, willing to be useful around a gentleman's place; wife is an excellent laundress; is willing to assist with chamber-work or washing; very neat, honest, and reliable servants; speak not much English. Inquire at Bookham's New Office, No. 309 4th av., near 23d st.

LAUNDRESS, &c.—BY AN ELDERLY SWEDISH woman, as fine washer, and to help with plain sewing; is willing and obliging; private family preferred. Call on or address Mrs. Kelly, No. 332 East 33d st., first floor.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS, family or gentlemen's washing; can do all kinds of fluting and puffing; first-class shirt-ironer; reasonable terms; good references. Call at Mrs. Golard's, No. 525 6th av.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A SCOTCH PROTESTANT girl as laundress; thoroughly understands her business; up the Hudson preferred; excellent City reference. Call at No. 135 West 19th st., in store.

LAUNDRESS, &c.—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL as laundress and chamber-maid; willing to go in the country; City reference. Call at No. 214 East 36th st.

NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—BY A thoroughly competent girl, and experienced in the care of children, and fond of them, and a good family seamstress; two years' reference from last employer. Can be seen at Jacquin's Bureau, No. 621 6th av., between 36th and 37th sts.

NURSE.—BY AN ENGLISH PROTESTANT GIRL, with good reference, as child's nurse and to do plain sewing; is willing to instruct in French, which she speaks perfectly; would act as lady's maid; can dress hair, &c.; is not airy, and wants a kind home. Call at No. 106 6th av., over blue store.

NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—BY A RESPECTable young American girl who is fond and careful of children, and a good family seamstress; can operate on sewing-machine; has not lived out; will take moderate wages in a good home. Call at Carpenter's, No. 138 West 11th st., corner of 6th av.

NURSE, OR NURSERY GOVERNESS, OR Seamstress.—By a Protestant young woman; speaks French fluently; highly recommended; willing to make herself useful, wait on or travel with a lady; a good home preferred to high wages. Call at Bookham's, No. 309 4th av.

NURSE.—BY A STEADY SCOTCH PROTESTANT, AS infant's nurse; is competent to take full charge; the best of City reference; is a good seamstress; without ties. Call for two days at No. 715 6th av., near 41st st., millinery store.

NURSE.—BY A COMPETENT, TRUSTWORTHY woman as nurse; can take the entire charge of an infant from birth; best City references. Can be seen for two days at Mme. Golard & Co.'s, No. 525 6th av.

NURSE.—BY A FIRST-CLASS INFANT'S, PROTESTant nurse, who will not object to assist with grown children; has the best of City references. Can be seen at No. 68 West 37th st.

NURSE.—BY A PROTESTANT GIRL, AS NURSE; can take entire charge of an infant; no objection to travel; good City reference. Call at No. 309 West 44th st.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

NURSE.—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN AS AN EXperienced infant's nurse; understands the care of an infant from birth; would take care of growing children and sew; has three years' City reference from her last place. Apply at Pelton & Co.'s, No. 645 6th av.

NURSE.—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG GIRL AS nurse and seamstress; willing to assist in chamber-work; operates on Wheeler & Wilson's machine; good City reference. Call for two days at No. 137 West 25th st., ring No. 8 bell.

NURSE.—BY A PROTESTANT GIRL AS NURSE; fully competent to take entire charge of an infant; good City reference. Call at No. 194 7th av., between 21st and 22d sts.

NURSE.—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS NURSE; is competent to take charge of a child from infancy; no objections to travel, or country; good reference. Call at No. 461 West 33d st., near 10th av.

NURSE.—BY A YOUNG WOMAN AS NURSE; IS capable of taking entire charge of a baby or growing children; can do plain sewing; would like to go in the country for the Summer; satisfactory reference given. Can be seen for two days at No. 469 6th av., first floor.

NURSE, &c.—A LADY DESIRES TO FIND A PLACE for a thoroughly respectable and reliable nurse, who is a good seamstress. Apply for three days at No. 27 West 10th st.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTant girl as seamstress and to take care of two grown children, or assist with chamber-work and seamstress; can run Wheeler & Wilson machine; has five years' reference from her present employer's. Call for two days at No. 17 West 50th st.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN AS first-class seamstress in a private family; can make over and trim ladies' and children's dresses; good operator on Wheeler & Wilson's machine; City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 112 West 19th st.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY A PROTESTANT YOUNG WOman, as seamstress; would wait on a lady; understands machine; no objection to assist with other light duties; City references. Call or address Seamstress, No. 122 West 20th st.; ring second bell.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY AN ENGLISH PERSON, AS first-class seamstress, or maid and seamstress; understands dress-making and all kinds of fine sewing; is an excellent operator; no objection to travel. To be seen from 9 till 4 at No. 494 7th av.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, who wishes to go out by the day as seamstress; can cut and fit, and do all kinds of family sewing, and can operate. Call at No. 241 West 33d st.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY A YOUNG PERSON, AS seamstress and to do light chamber-work; City reference. Call or address H. M., No. 494 7th av.

SEAMSTRESS AND DRESS-MAKER.—CAN cut, fit, and do all kinds of family sewing; no objection to go a short distance in the country. Call for two days at No. 763 6th av., between 43d and 44th sts.

SEAMSTRESS, &c.—BY A PROTESTANT GIRL to do all kinds of fine sewing and chamber-work. Call or address for two days No. 145 East 22d st.

TRUSTWORTHY SERVANTS AT MME. GOLARDS & CO.'S, No. 525 6th av., between 31st and 32d sts.

WAITRESS.—BY A VERY NEAT AND TIDY young woman as first-class waitress in a private family; understands making salads, care of silver, &c., thoroughly; is capable of filling a man's place; best reference. Apply at Bedell's, No. 340 4th av.

WAITRESS AND CHAMBER-MAID.—BY A competent girl as waitress, or chamber-maid and waitress, in a private family; willing and obliging; good City references; no objection to country for the Summer. Call at No. 233 East 37th st.

WAITRESS.—BY A PROTESTANT YOUNG woman in a private family as first-class waitress; City reference. Call or address M. A. C., No. 554 West 41st st.

WAITRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT girl as waitress or chamber-maid in a private family; has good City reference from last place. Can be seen at No. 140 West 28th st., two stairs up, Room 8.

WAITRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL AS waitress; has the best of City reference. Can be seen at her present employer's, No. 31 West 19th st.

WAITRESS.—BY A HIGHLY RESPECTABLE girl as waitress, to assist with chamber-work. Call at present employer's, No. 20 East 33d st.

WAITRESS.—OR WOULD DO THE CHAMBER-work and waiting in a small family; City or country; best City references. Call at No. 34 East 40th st.

WAITRESS.—BY A YOUNG WOMAN AS FIRST-class waitress in a private family; understands the care of silver and making salads; willing and obliging; good City reference. Call for two days at No. 120 East 32d st.; ring third bell.

WET NURSE.—BY A YOUNG, HEALTHY, AND respectable woman. Call at No. 785 9th av., rear house.

MALES.

THE FREE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE OF the Bowery branch Young Men's Christian Association, No. 134 Bowery, furnishes employers promptly with all kinds of male labor free of charge; men forwarded to the country on receipt of fare. Call or address by letter (with stamp inclosed)
Rev. JOHN DOOLY,
General Secretary of the Bowery Branch.

A WELL-EDUCATED YOUNG GERMAN, PERfectly conversant in English and German, would like to take charge of a gentleman's estate; unexceptionable references. Address G. A. R., No. 145 East 16th st.

A LADY LEAVING THE CITY WOULD LIKE to find a place for her colored waiter, who is competent, and of excellent character, as traveling body servant. Call at No. 139 West 41st st., between 6th av. and Broadway.

BY A MAN AND WIFE, LATELY LANDED FROM France—The man as maitre d'hotel or waiter, and wife as first-class cook; would be willing to go separately or together if possible. Inquire at No. 150 East 42d st.

BY AN ACTIVE, INTELLIGENT AMERICAN LAD, in a surveyor's office, or in large business house down town; is a fine mathematician, and understands German. Address HENRY THORPE, Station K.

COACHMAN AND GARDENER—COOK AND Laundress.—By a man and wife, age thirty years; man can take care of and drive horses, do plain gardening, milk, care cattle, mow lawn, &c.; wife is a good cook, washer and ironer; with or without cottage; good recommendation. Call at Carpenter's, No. 138 West 11th st., corner 6th av.

COACHMAN.—BY A SINGLE YOUNG MAN, AS coachman; understands the care of horses, carriages, and harness, and is a good driver of old and young horses; willing and obliging; will go to any part of the country. Call or address G. M., at Mr. Tenaney's, No. 39 West 44th st.

COACHMAN.—BY A PROTESTANT MARRIED man, who is a careful driver, and can take the best of care of horses and harness; is also a good plain gardener, understanding the raising of vegetables, flowers, fruits, &c.; best City references. Call or address W. T., at Bridgeman's seed store, No. 876 Broadway.

COACHMAN.—BY A THOROUGH, COMPETENT young man of long experience; understands his business thoroughly; best City references from his former and late employer; can be cheerfully recommended; City or country. Address Coachman, Box No. 239 *Times* Office.

COACHMAN.—BY A SINGLE YOUNG MAN, AS first-class coachman; has lived with some of the best families in the City; can furnish first-class testimonials as to capability, sobriety, and trust; worthy in every respect. Call on or address M. S., Wood Gibson's harness store, No. 793 Broadway.

COACHMAN.—BY A STEADY RELIABLE MAN; understands gardening, milking, and the general work about a gentleman's place; is married, with one child; good reference from present and former employers. Address T. C., Box No. 211 *Times* Office.

COACHMAN AND GROOM.—BY A SINGLE Protestant young man; understands the care of carriages and horses; good groom and careful driver; willing and obliging; no objection to the country. Address W. I., Box 201 *Times* Office.

COACHMAN.—BY A SINGLE PROTESTANT MAN; safe and careful driver; understands the care of horses and carriages; is a good groom; would go to the country; has the best of City reference. Call on or address W. E., No. 119 West 37th st.

COACHMAN.—BY A PROTESTANT MAN AS FIRST-class coachman and groom; has several years' experience, with references of the best from employers, to whom they can refer to; willing and obliging. Address J. H., No. 1,206 Broadway.

COACHMAN AND GARDENER.—BY A MAN aged twenty-three years, who can take care of and drive horses, milk, care cattle, mow lawn, repair roads and walks, &c.; good recommendations. Call at Carpenter's, No. 138 West 11th st., corner 6th av.

COACHMAN AND GROOM.—BY A SINGLE young man; is perfectly willing and obliging; seven years' first-class reference; no objection to the country. Address D. C., Box No. 57 *Times* Up-town Office, No. 54½ West 32d st.

COACHMAN.—BY A YOUNG MARRIED ENGLISHman who thoroughly understands his business in every respect; first-class City reference. Call at or address Thomas' private stable, No. 42 East 32d st.

COACHMAN, &c.—BY A SINGLE MAN AS COACHman and groom; understands the care of horses, and is willing to make himself useful; City or country. Apply to R. Francis, No. 47 Broad st.

COACHMAN OR GROOM.—BY A SINGLE young man; is not afraid of work; has the best of references from his last employers; City and country. Address J. S., Box No. 212 *Times* Office.

COACHMAN.—BY A PROTESTANT MAN; THE best of City references; has lived eight years in his last place. Can be seen or address W. C., No. 644 6th av.

COACHMAN AND GROOM.—BY A MARRIED man, no family, with four years' best City reference from last employer. Call or address R. A., No. 6 West 31st st.

COACHMAN.—BY A FIRST-CLASS COACHMAN, married, with excellent City reference; will be found willing and respectful. Call on or address J. P., at Major Green's Riding Academy, No. 9 West 13th st.

COACHMAN.—BY A PROTESTANT, OF FIFTEEN years' experience in training and treatment of first-class horses; good reference; City or country; strictly sober. Call or address T. S., No. 49 West 18th st.

COACHMAN.—BY A SINGLE MAN; NO OBJECtions to the country; good reference. Address C. C., Box No. 241 *Times* Office.

COACHMAN.—A GENTLEMAN WISHES TO PROcure a situation for his coachman, a married man, without children; is sober, honest, and obliging; understands his business perfectly, and is willing to make himself generally useful; can be highly recommended. Call or address J. K., No. 46 West 51st st., present employer.

COACHMAN—LAUNDRESS.—BY A YOUNG married French couple; man as coachman, gardener, or useful man; wife as laundress, nurse, and chamber-maid; they are very neat, perfectly competent and come highly recommended. Inquire at No. 309 4th av.

COACHMAN.—BY A PROTESTANT MAN, WHO thoroughly understands his business; can show the best of reference. Call or address W. H., No. 144 5th av., in the harness store.

COACHMAN.—A GENTLEMAN WISHES A GOOD place for his coachman [illegible]

SITUATIONS WANTED.

MALES.

COACHMAN.—BY AN ENGLISHMAN, MARRIED, no family; thoroughly understands the care of horses, &c., also plain gardening and carpentering; will be found a competent and reliable man around a gentleman's place. Address M. G., Box No. 215, *Times* Office.

COACHMAN AND GROOM, PLAIN GARDENER, and Generally Useful Man.—By a faithful, industrious young man, not afraid of work; is intelligent, reliable, trustworthy, and neat; best reference given. Call at No. 111 Atlantic st., Brooklyn.

COACHMAN.—BY A PROTESTANT YOUNG MAN, with best City reference. Apply to or address W. J., at J. Bergen's, No. 22 East 18th st.

COACHMAN.—BY A MARRIED MAN; HAS THE best of City reference. Call or address W. H., at J. B. Brewster's Carriage Warerooms, 5th av. and 27th st.

COACHMAN.—BY A COLORED MAN, WITH SIX year's reference from his last place; no objection to the country for the Summer. Address Johnson, Box No. 235 *Times* Office.

GARDENER.—BY A THOROUGH PRACTICAL gardener in all its branches, to take full charge of a gentleman's place; none need apply without glass; can be well recommended; Swiss married man. Call or address J. Conrad, No. 28 Eldridge st., between Broome and Delancey sts.

GARDENER AND COACHMAN.—BY AN English Protestant man, who is a good outdoor flower and vegetable gardener; care and drive horses, milk, care cattle, &c.; best recommendations. Call at Carpenter's, No. 138 West 11th st., corner 6th av.

GARDENER, COACHMAN, &c.—LAUNDRESS, Poultry, &c.—By a man and wife, aged thirty years; man can take care of and drive horses, do gardening, milk, care cattle, mow lawns, repair roads, &c.; wife is a good laundress, can care poultry, &c.; would live in cottage if required; good recommendations. Call at Carpenter's, No. 138 West 11th st., corner 6th av.

GARDENER.—SINGLE, BY A THOROUGLY COMpetent man, thoroughly versed in the care of glass, flowers, fruits, and vegetables; has held first-class places; eighteen years' experience in the business; good reference as to ability from last employers. Address H. H., seed store, No. 9 John st.

GARDENER.—BY A FIRST-CLASS ENGLISH gardener; married; no family; held the finest situations in England and this country, and can come well recommended from his last employer. Address A. B., care Peter Henderson, No. 35 Cortlandt st.

GARDENER AND COACHMAN OR FARMER.—By a German, married, Protestant; understands his business. Call at 42 Clinton st., in the grocery.

GROOM.—BY A PROTESTANT YOUNG MAN, single, as groom; has first-class references; no objection to the country. Call or address E. G., No. 693 3d av., bell No. 4.

PRINTER.—A PRACTICAL PRINTER, OF MUCH experience as superintendent and manager, will be open for engagement in similar position about May 1; or would take charge of the printing department of a large publishing house. Address G. H. R., No. 33 Park row, room No. 20.

REV. JOHN H. HOUGHTON, OF TRINITY Church, New-York, would be obliged to owners of buildings if they would correspond with him when in need of janitors. Several families, thoroughly capable can be recommended.

SERVANT.—BY A NORTH OF IRELAND PROTestant aged twenty-five, who can clean windows; also mirrors, silver, carpets, &c., tend door, care and drive horses, milk, care cattle, &c.; good references. Call at Carpenter's, No. 138 West 11th st., corner 6th av.

USEFUL MAN—LAUNDRESS, &c.—BY A Protestant man and wife, aged twenty-five years; man can do gardening, mow lawns, care and drive horses, milk, care cattle, &c.; wife care poultry, make butter, and is a good washer and ironer; with or without house to live in; best recommendations. Call at Carpenter's, No. 138 West 11th st., corner 6th av.

USEFUL MAN.—BY A YOUNG MAN AS USEFUL man; understands care of horses; can milk and do plain gardening; also understands all kinds of farm-work; excellent reference from former employer. Apply at Bedell's, No. 340 4th av.

USEFUL MAN, &c.—BY A STEADY RELIABLE man; is a first-class coachman and groom; a careful driver; can assist in gardening, milk, and the general work required about a gentleman's place; is industrious, willing, and not afraid of work; best of reference. Apply or address 199 Joralemon st., Brooklyn.

WAITER.—BY A THOROUGHLY EFFICIENT French waiter, who understands his business thoroughly, and has unexceptionable City references; speaks English perfectly. Address J. J., Box No. 12 *Times* Up-town Office, No. 54½ West 32d st.

WAITER.—BY A TRUSTWORTHY FRENCHMAN as waiter; understands the duties of a first-class house thoroughly, and is experienced; best testimonials from former employer. Call on or address Waiter, No. 821 6th av., between 36th and 37th sts., up stairs.

WAITER.—BY A RESPECTABLE MAN AS WAITER in a private family; good City references; is a Protestant. Address J. M., Box No. 93 *Times* Up-town Office, No. 54½ West 32d st.

WAITER—COOK.—BY A MAN AND WIFE; man is first-class waiter and thoroughly domesticated; wife is first-class cook and a good baker; both have the highest references; a country family will find them first-class servants; Protestants. Address Advertisers, No. 533 3d av., between 35th and 36th sts.

WANTED.—THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASsociation requests merchants and all business men in the City or in the country who are in want of bookkeepers, cashiers, entry clerks, copyists, salesmen, porters, &c., to apply at the rooms, 23d st., corner 4th av.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—A LADY wants the services of either a French, Swiss, or Swede girl, who speaks English; good references; none others need apply. Call at No. 39 West 22d st., between 9 and 11 A. M., or 4 and 5 P. M.

WANTED—IN A SMALL AMERICAN FAMILY, A Protestant cook, washer and ironer, (German preferred.) Apply with City reference at No. 235 West 53d st., between 10 A. M. and 2 P. M.

WANTED—A FRENCH MAID WHO SPEAKS English; one who understands hair-dressing, and competent in every respect. Call for two days, from 10 to 12 o'clock, Albemarle Hotel, Room No. 68.

WANTED—A MARRIED MAN AS COACHMAN AND gardener; wife as laundress; a couple without children; I have a cottage but no furniture. Apply to W. L. TAYLOR, No. 17 Wall st.

WANTED—A FRENCH LADY'S MAID; MUST UNderstand dress-making, and be well recommended. Call at No. 525 6th av., Bureau Français.

GIRLS—NOW IS YOUR CHANCE FOR SITUAtions; call at once. No. 309 4th av., near 23d st.

WANTED—AS WAITER—A PROTESTANT YOUNG man. Apply before 12 o'clock at 5 East 34th st.

AUCTION SALES.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE.—PURsuant to an order of the United States Circuit Court, to me directed and delivered, I will sell at public auction, by Field, Morris, Fenner & Co., auctioneers, at their stores, Nos. 465 and 467 Broome st., on THURSDAY, April 9, 1874, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, a quantity of 3-4 and 6-4 cassimeres, beavers, Moscows, doeskins, coatings, meltons, &c., in great variety, the same being a portion of the estate of the Glenham Manufacturing Company, bankrupt.
OLIVER FISKE, United States Marshal.
Dated New-York, March 30, 1874.
The above sale is hereby postponed to THURSDAY, April 16, same hour and place.
OLIVER FISKE, United States Marshal.
The above sale is hereby postponed to THURSDAY, April 30, 1874, same hour and place.
OLIVER FISKE, United States Marshal.
The above sale is hereby postponed to THURSDAY, May 7, 1874, same hour and place.
OLIVER FISKE, United States Marshal.

BENJ. P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer.
EXECUTOR'S SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.—BENJ. P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer, will sell on WEDNESDAY, the 29th day of April, 1874, at 10 A. M., at No. 409 West 22d st.,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
consisting of rosewood parlor suites, marble-top tables, black walnut and oak bedroom suites, oak extension tables, dining-room chairs, pier mirrors, hair mattresses, feather pillows and bolsters, Brussels carpets, crockery, glass and kitchen utensils. By order
JOHN W. MORGAN, Executor.

JOHN H. DRAPER & CO., Auctioneers.
THE DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND Western Railroad Company will sell
50,000 TONS SCRANTON COAL
at public auction on WEDNESDAY, April 29, at 12 o'clock noon, at No. 26 Exchange place.
SAMUEL SLOAN, President.

EDWARD M. BROWN, Auctioneer.
BY BROWN & SECCOMB—THIS DAY, (Wednesday,) April 29, at 12 o'clock, within their store, fresh Messina Oranges and Lemons, cargo L. F. Munson. Can be seen on Pier No. 7 East River. Also, fresh Sorrento Oranges and Lemons, cargo Emilia Ciampa. Can be seen on Pier No. 18 East River.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JOSEPH F. YOUNG, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by Joseph F. Young in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 20th day of May, 1874, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the office of Isaiah T. Williams, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, No. 4 Warren street, in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, on the 27th day of April, 1874.
ap29-law3wW* GEORGE F. BETTS, Clerk.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of ALFRED P. REYNOLDS, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—Southern District of New-York, ss.: At the City of New-York, the 23d day of April, 1874.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of the estate and effects of Alfred P. Reynolds, of the City of New-York, in said district, who was, on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1874, adjudged a bankrupt, upon the petition of his creditors, by the District Court of the United States for the said Southern District of New-York. NAPOLEON GADONE, Assignee.
BLUMENSTIEL & ASCHER, Attorneys for Assignee, No. 320 Broadway.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of JOSEPH R. FERRER, bankrupt.—This is to give notice that by an indenture bearing date the 21st day of April, 1874, Joseph R. Ferrer, of the City of New-York, has conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects whatsoever to James R. Ward, of the City of New-York, as Trustee upon trust for the benefit of all the creditors of said Joseph R. Ferrer, and that said conveyance was duly executed according to the provisions of the forty-third section of the Bankrupt act of March 2, 1867.—Dated this 28th day of April, 1874.
ap29-law3wW* JAMES R. WARD, Trustee.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—DISTRICT OF NEW-JERSEY, ss.—At Newark, on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1874.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of CHARLES W. KING, of Newark, in the County of Essex and State of New-Jersey, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt [illegible] of said district. [illegible]

The New York Times.

NEW-YORK, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2, 1874.

AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—LOHENGRIN. (Italian Opera)—Mme. Nilsson, Miss A. L. Cary, Signor Campanini. Afternoon at 2—READINGS from Shakespeare, by Miss C. Cushman—"Macbeth."

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—THE VETERAN—Mr. Lester Wallack, Mr. John Gilbert, Mr. John Brougham, Miss Effie Germon, Miss Jeffreys-Lewis.

FIFTH AVENUE THEATRE.—MONSIEUR ALPHONSE—Mr. Charles Fisher, Mr. Geo. Clark, Miss Fanny Davenport, Miss Ada Dyas, Miss Nina Varian.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.—THE HUNCHBACK—Miss Adelaide Neilson, Mr. Joseph Wheelock, Mr. Charles Wheatleigh.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.—DONALD MCKAY—Mr. Oliver Doud Byron.

PARK THEATRE.—LOVE'S PENANCE—Mr. Charles Fechter, Miss Geraldine Stuart, Mr. Studley.

UNION SQUARE THEATRE.—LED ASTRAY—Miss Rose Eytinge, Mr. Stuart Robson.

BROADWAY THEATRE.—HUMPTY DUMPTY—Mr. G. L. Fox, Mr. C. K. Fox.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.—PANTOMIME AND NOVELTY ENTERTAINMENT.

BOWERY THEATRE—METAMORA—Mr. Edward Eddy.

BARNUM'S ROMAN HIPPODROME.—CHARIOT RACES—GYMNASTIC ACTS—MENAGERIE.

WOOD'S MUSEUM.—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE afternoon and evening. Curiosities.

BRYANT'S MINSTRELS.—FAROES, SINGING, COMICALITIES—Messrs. Unsworth, N. Seymour

THE COLOSSEUM.—CYCLORAMA OF LONDON BY NIGHT—CURIOSITIES.

NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN—EXHIBITION of Paintings.

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A curious instance of the tendency of the United States Senate to wander into interminable and irrelevant talk was given yesterday, when the veto message came up. There was no debate on the message itself, but an hour or more was consumed in a rambling discussion of the displacement of Mr. SUMNER from the Foreign Affairs Committee in 1870-71. The bill, over the veto, received 34 votes to 30 against it. The original vote was 29 to 24. Mr. BUCKINGHAM and Mr. FERRY of Connecticut, and Mr. GILBERT of Florida, voted against the bill yesterday, who did not vote and were not paired against it before. On the other hand, Messrs. COOPER, SAULSBURY, and SCHURZ were recorded in the negative the first time, but were absent yesterday. Mr. DENNIS, of Maryland, who did not vote the first time, voted for the bill yesterday, and Mr. MORTON was absent. Had those who voted the first time voted in the same way yesterday, the vote would have been 35 to 33, and had Mr. WASHBURN, of Massachusetts, been present, it would have been 35 to 34. It will be seen that there has been no change in the vote of any Senator.

There is to be an Ellsworth monument "inaugurated"—vile word—at Mechanicsville shortly, and one "Colonel" J. R. FELLOWS is said to be the orator singled out to do the honors of the occasion. To this the Troy *Times* very properly objects, and says that "the Union soldier who will consent to take part in any such commemorative ceremonies with this rebel blatherskite and Tammany politician, degrades his office and falsifies his patriotism." And it goes on to express its opinion that "no greater insult could be paid to the ashes of the patriot dead than the presence even of this miserable rebel and demagogue at the inauguration of the movement. The Albany *Argus* very naturally objects to these remarks, and yet the Troy *Times* is quite right in making them. "Col." FELLOWS *is* both a "blatherskite and a demagogue," and about the last man in the world who should be chosen to do honor to the memory of a good citizen. In the very last days of the Tweed rule, months after the full exposure of the Tammany frauds had startled the world, FELLOWS appeared on the Tweed Plaza in this City, and made a long and disgraceful speech in praise of TWEED—describing him as a man whom the country ought to honor, as a great benefactor to New-York, and altogether as a statesman without equal in the nation. This, be it remembered, was in the early part of November, 1871, five months after TWEED's rascalities had been fully exposed, and on the eve of the election which destroyed him and his party. Now, is this the proper man to pronounce an oration on a gallant Union soldier like Col. ELLSWORTH? We will not lay stress upon the fact that while Col. ELLSWORTH was defending the flag of his country, the so-called Col. FELLOWS was a rebel—because it seems to be unfashionable to refer to "rebels" in the present day. But is it decent to see a supporter of wholesale robbery and pillage chosen to deliver an address upon the character of a man who was as much opposed to dishonesty as "Col." FELLOWS was in favor of it?

Both parties to the squabble in Arkansas seem determined to force the President to settle their quarrel. BROOKS demands to be recognized as Governor, and BAXTER continues to issue his daily proclamation "that an armed insurrection exists in this State against the lawfully constituted authority thereof." So long as these contestants adhered to peaceable and lawful methods for the settlement of their dispute, the country took no interest in it, but now that each is surrounded with an armed force, and appealing to the President for help, the matter has become of national importance. It is quite possible that the President may be compelled by events to step in and put an end to the affair. The present condition of things cannot be permitted to continue much longer. BROOKS declines to abide by the decision of the Legislature, and BAXTER refuses to submit to any other tribunal. When the matter has arrived at this stage, it is difficult to see how the Federal Government can avoid exercising its police functions for the preservation of the national peace.

Mr. SPENCER's Charitable Appropriation bill, by which a very large proportion of the excise money is once more diverted to the support of a number of institutions already sufficiently provided for, has passed the Assembly. The principle of the bill is bad, were it only because it revives the vicious practice of allowing the Legislature to vote the items of City expenditures. It will be an evil hour for the City when its annual tax levy becomes again the rallying point for the corruption of the legislative session. Mr. SPENCER's bill presents the thin edge of this dangerous abuse. Besides, the bill as it now stands includes grants to a number of educational institutions already participating in State grants, and does very unequal justice to the dispensaries and minor hospitals which alone have any pressing claim to this kind of relief. The Board of Apportionment, aided by the advice of the State Board of Charities, is the proper body to authorize these grants, and to them it should be left to vote a sum not exceeding $100,000 for the year.

The Superintendent of the New-York Branch of the Freedman's Savings Bank ascribes the difficulties in which the institution is involved to advancing money rashly on Washington real estate, instead of clinging to the old system of investing in Government securities. We do not know how great the present difficulties of the bank may be, but it is not too much to say that *any* difficulties in its way are deeply disgraceful to its managers, and are specially so if they arise from the source mentioned above. The bank had an important work to perform, not only to keep safely the little savings of the unfortunate race for whose benefit it was chiefly devised, but also to encourage in them in the most practical way the habit of thrift on the one hand, and of prudent confidence in white men on the other. In the discharge of such a trust, no caution could be too great, and the least carelessness is almost criminal.

There is a bill before the Legislature amending the charter so as to provide for the continuance of the Board of Assistant Aldermen after January next. We hope the members have not failed to notice that the Assistant Aldermen spent their last session in discussing an ordinance for muzzling cats, and have in various ways, on previous occasions, brought the Common Council into public contempt. There may be some reasonable argument for continuing officials of this kind in existence, but we are unable to conjecture what it may be. While it is true that the present members will probably go out of office in any event at the end of the year, there is no reason to believe that their successors, if they are to have any, will be any more worthy of respect. The public interests will be best served by leaving the charter alone in this respect, and we hope the bill introduced early in the session by Mr. CAULDWELL, and suddenly brought forward at this late hour, will be rejected.

In recent years the closing hours of the Assembly have been marked by proceedings which were in no way creditable. Last year the riotous conduct of the members at the close of their labors was especially disgraceful, and we hope, for the sake of public decency, that none of the antics of that occasion will be repeated now. With a resolute man like Mr. HUSTED in the chair, it should be easy to repress all disorder, and the Speaker should not fail to exercise all the authority required to make the Assembly show in its last hour that it is composed of reasonable men instead of a set of lunatics. If Mr. HUSTED can do this, he will accomplish something which none of his late predecessors have been able to achieve, and will earn another title to public gratitude. The other day he promptly and sternly dealt with the first indications of the coming disorder, and we trust that he may be able to make the Assembly preserve the decorum proper to a legislative body until the moment of its final adjournment. And *do* smash the lobbyists.

The report was recently telegraphed all over the country that Mr. HALSTEAD, of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, had been arrested. It very soon appeared that the arrest was a mere trick, and on Saturday the charge against Mr. HALSTEAD was dismissed. The charge itself was one of the most frivolous kind—an advertisement of a lottery had been inserted in his paper by madvertence; it was ordered out by the managers of the paper the very next day, and payment for the first accidental insertion was refused. It is rather too bad to have the report of one's arrest circulated all over the Union on such a basis as this. Perhaps no one is particularly to blame, but the circumstance suggests that a little more judgment might advantageously be exercised in the transmission of such messages. Mr. HALSTEAD is not the sort of man to make money by using his paper in an unlawful way—and we hope he will not be offended with us if we add that his paper is one of the ablest published in this or any other country.

The bill for repaving Fifth avenue has passed the Assembly. It provides for the removal of the present pavement from the southerly side of Waverley place, at Washington square, to the northerly side of Sixtieth street. The pavement to be substituted is described as having a hydraulic concrete foundation of at least six inches in thickness, with a surface layer of not less than four inches in thickness. It is to produce neither mud nor dust, and is not to exceed in cost six dollars per square yard. It is to be kept in perfect repair for ten years at a cost not exceeding five per cent. on the first cost of the work, and the surface is to be kept constantly clean for ten years at a cost not exceeding two and a half per cent. on the first cost of the work. Whatever be the merits of the pavement contemplated in the bill, it is open to the obvious objection of shutting out public competition. We have always advocated a good macadamized roadway for Fifth avenue. That could be put up to public bidding; the patent pavement apparently referred to in the bill must be taken at the patentee's own price, which we may safely conclude will not be far within the rather high limit of $6 per square yard.

HOW NOT TO DO IT.

There has probably been no committee in Washington this Winter, the work of which has been allowed to get more behindhand than that of the Committee of Ways and Means of the House of Representatives. One of the most important of Congressional committees—so important that its Chairman is regarded as the leader of the House, and its business is given a decided preference over that originating from any other source—this committee has, during the last five months, transacted scarcely any of its regular business. The Treasury Department, at the opening of the session, announced that its actual difficulties were very great, and that it anticipated still greater, and the Secretary submitted important suggestions touching the proper methods for supplying the deficiency. To these the committee responded by using its influence to rush through the House a measure legalizing the issue of the greenbacks that had been retired up to the full limit of $400,000,000—a hasty act, we fear, and certainly one without any considerations of sound policy to sustain it. Beyond this reckless piece of work, and an elaborate speech from Mr. DAWES, with a very bad mistake at the bottom of it, the Ways and Means Committee has contributed substantially nothing to the ordinary and pressing business with which, by the custom of the House, it is charged. To-day its calendar is so crowded that it is simply impossible that it should get half way through it in time for an adjournment at any usual season.

The causes for this delay in the business of the Ways and Means Committee are not altogether simple, but we need not refer explicitly at this moment to more than the principal one, which is the fact that the most important working committee of the House has been this year converted into an investigating committee. The subjects which have been given it to investigate are certainly such as ought to be investigated, and that very thoroughly. But they need but be mentioned to show that either they must be imperfectly attended to by the Ways and Means Committee, or else the work of the committee itself must suffer. Take, for instance, the Sanborn contracts. Certainly they are a matter in regard to which the whole truth ought to be known; but the truth could have been found out quite as completely, perhaps more completely, by a committee composed of members not otherwise employed, as by Mr. DAWES and his associates. The investigation has been a somewhat tedious one—more so than energetic and intelligent management should have made it. There has been an amount of time spent out of all proportion to the value or amount of facts disclosed. Some of the latter are important, and it is gratifying to know that the very beginning of the investigation put a stop to the practices to which it related. But this much could have been just as well accomplished by a committee other than one in whose hands some of the heaviest business of Congress lay. It is probably because the committee has had to do two classes of things at once that it has not done either one remarkably well. Certainly its methods of investigation are not, to say the least, economical of time, nor does the result give the impression that they have made up in efficiency what they have cost in time.

It is not impossible that the committee has been hampered somewhat by an itching on the part of some of its members to make for themselves a little personal political capital out of the investigations, and by the natural desire of some of the minority to make party capital as well. But these are things which the committee might control if it would, and it is a strong argument in favor of giving the investigations to some other committee, that they have not been nearly so well controlled as they should have been. We need hardly say that we should like to see the investigations themselves carried to a thoroughly searching conclusion, but important as they are, they are not quite so important as the regular business of the Government, a large part of which now awaits action at the hands of Mr. DAWES' committee.

OUR PRECIOUS ALDERMEN.

The State Senate yesterday passed the bill for giving the Mayor the sole power of appointing heads of departments, without submitting his nominations to the Board of Aldermen. The same bill will probably come before the Assembly to-day, and there is very little doubt that it will be passed, for most people are heartily tired of the part played by the present Board of Aldermen in local politics.

The case is a very simple one. Under the charter, the Mayor nominates and the Board of Aldermen confirms. The object of this arrangement is plain enough—evidently the theory is that the Board of Aldermen will confirm good nominations, and reject bad ones. If the Mayor makes a mistake, the Aldermen can correct it. If that theory were carried out in practice, we should be decidedly in favor of it. If we could have a revisory board, which was watchful for the public interests, and animated by a high sense of duty, it would be an excellent thing. But it would be nonsense to pretend that the Board of Aldermen uses its power in that way. We have seen it confirm every nomination which was prejudicial to the interests of the City. It has never hesitated a moment about doing that. But when a thoroughly good nomination is sent in, it will have nothing to do with it. Mr. COOPER goes and hides himself, FLANAGAN wants to know what *he* is to get by it, and the rest of the Aldermen follow suit. The board goes in for what is called "trading," and laugh at the idea that it is its duty to consider the public interests before everything else. We could not find a stronger case than that which the nomination of Judge HOWLAND presents. This was a nomination which did the Mayor great credit. He could not have found a better man for the post in the whole City. We all know what HENRY SMITH was as a Police Commissioner. What he was, Judge HOWLAND is not. He would not have been subservient to any party, or to any section of parties, but would have used his influence in favor of a wise and efficient administration of the board in which he was placed. He is a man far above making any secret bargains with rowdy Aldermen. And for that very reason the Aldermen would not confirm him. Had the name of a disreputable politician been sent in, it woud have been confirmed at once. But a good man cannot run the gauntlet of the Board of Aldermen. He will not step into a bar-room and take a drink with them, nor will he promise them offices for their relations or dependants. The consequence is that he cannot get confirmed. It seems to us, therefore, that if we are to be driven to a choice between two evils, we had better depend at once upon the Mayor for the time being. He may be a Democrat—granted. But in no case can he choose worse men for public positions than those whom the Aldermen are alone willing to confirm. We cannot possibly be worse off than we are now. If the Mayor chooses bad men, he will have to take the undivided responsibility. When a man has to face the full responsibility of his acts, he is sometimes more prudent than when he can shift part of the blame upon the shoulders of somebody else.

We have not considered this question from a party point of view, because it is not a question requiring such treatment. The Republicans can neither be injured nor assisted by the measures now before the Legislature. But we should think that good government might be promoted, for it is quite clear that we do not get good government under the present mixed system. The experiment is worth a fair trial. We once more express our earnest hope that the Assembly will pass the bill agreed upon by the Senate, or one identical with it, and that a corrupt Board of Aldermen will thus have its power for doing mischief taken away from it.

NOVEL-READING AND PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

It must be confessed that such statistics as we have in regard to the readers and buyers of books, as a whole class, (if, indeed, they can be rightly regarded as one class,) do not tend to raise reading in our eyes as an occupation, or even as an accomplishment. What degree of silliness and vulgarity may be reached in a "story" without losing attraction to readers by the thousands and tens of thousands, some of the weekly publications in England as well as in this country constantly show. But we have not to go to the sensational press for a striking illustration of our theme. The last report of the Superintendent of the Boston Library, which touches upon this subject, presents some facts which are very significant. The people of Boston are probably as well educated and as solid in their intellectual character as those of any place in the world, other than a German university town. But from this report it appears that the writer in English prose fiction most in favor at the Athens of America is a lady whose name is probably as unknown in literary circles abroad as it is at home, and of whose "works" we confess to knowing only so much as comes from an unsuccessful attempt to get through one of them. The demand for the novels of this author is more than three times as great as that for "George Eliot's," five times as great as that for THACKERAY's, and twelve times as great as that for CHARLOTTE BRONTE's. Another female writer of the same class, the authoress of *Fashion and Famine*, a book quite worthy of its name, enjoys a popularity approaching that of the prime favorite; her only superiors in this respect, among writers of the day, being, with one exception, Miss MUHLBACH and Miss BRADDON.

This showing is not peculiar to Boston. Book-sellers' trade-lists, and the records of public libraries elsewhere, show a like preference for the coarse and flimsy productions of these four writers. And it is remarkable that the greatest work of pure fiction produced in the present generation—"George Eliot's" *Romola*—is the least bought and read of all its author's works, and at its first appearance nearly ruined the magazine in which it was published. It is difficult to account for such results. The Superintendent of the Boston Library, Mr. JUSTIN WINSOR, accounts for it in that institution by suggesting that the level of "George Eliot's" intelligence is too high for any different result in a library where the frequenters are of all classes. This seems more near the truth than it really is; for "Onida," whose level of intelligence is surely low enough to suit the meanest capacity, who is highly sensational, and who has written more books than "George Eliot," is behind her more than half way in that test of popularity—the number of books taken out; while DINAH MARIA MULOCK (Mrs. CRAIK,) whose level of intelligence is not remarkably high, is the one instance among writers of the day who in this respect stands above Miss MUHLBACK and Miss BRADDON. It seems sad and strange that in the grade of public favor in Boston, Miss MULOCK is represented by seventeen and HAWTHORNE by three.

Some insight is given into the perplexities of the problem by the fact that at the head of the list stands COOPER and DICKENS, and that in close proximity to them come JAMES and SCOTT. Mr. WINSOR is probably right in his opinion that DICKENS and SCOTT would be oftener called for at this library, (and of course at others,) but for the fact that their works are in the possession of so many families. And, by the bye, statistics do not sustain the opinion frequently expressed by critics, that SCOTT is not read by the present generation, or that he is displaced by the novelists of the day. At the Boston library he stands in comparison to THACKERAY as four to one, and with a like superiority to most contemporary novelists. The publishers of the Waverley Novels in Edinburgh and London find a constant demand for new editions, and here the reprinting of those grand books in various forms never ceases. SCOTT plainly holds the highest position of authorship—that of being classic, popular, and perennial. But the fact that he and JAMES and COOPER and DICKENS and Mrs. SOUTHWORTH are so nearly together in the race for mere popularity that "you might cover them with a blanket," shows what it is that charms the mere novel-reader—an interesting story, serious or comic, which may be read without thinking.

The point is that the enjoyment may be thoughtless. The demands of the average novel-reader and of the average play-goer of the period have reached that point together. And it must be confessed that novel-reading is about the laziest semblance of occupation that can be indulged in; the mind of the reader being as nearly in a state of absolute inexertion as is consistent with the reception of ideas. The question then arises whether public institutions should provide this sort of mere amusement, particularly when it is combined with bad style, vulgar tone, and shaky morals? If people choose to buy and to read Miss BRADDON's books and "Ouida's," it can't be helped; but should the public money, or the money of public benefactors, be spent to provide people with such reading? It would seem very clear that it should not; that institutions which are at least quasi-benevolent, and the object of which is intellectual and moral improvement, should furnish the public only with literature which is healthy and invigorating, and which, if it does not instruct, at least, while it recreates and amuses, shall not debauch the taste and vitiate the moral tone. Censorship of the press cannot be admitted; but a wise direction of the operation of public institutions is quite another matter. Public libraries are not in the nature of book-clubs, which must supply just what their members demand; and it is at least a serious question whether much of the flimsy and prurient fiction that cumbers their shelves might not, with propriety as well as with profit to their readers, be excluded.

THE STATE SENATE AND RAPID TRANSIT.

After passing the amended Eastman bill, providing for a local Rapid-transit Commission, the Assembly has passed the Vanderbilt and Third Avenue bills, and thus left the commission no routes from which to select, and no possibility, therefore, of doing anything but drawing their year's salaries and reporting that the field is fully occupied. The only escape from this dilemma is to suppose that the House granted charters to various persons for local steam railroads simply with the view of allowing the Eastman Commission to confiscate them. Whichever way we interpret recent legislation on this subject, the conclusion is equally absurd, and the result must be equally disappointing. The Senate has a very short time in which to settle this highly important question, but it is to be hoped that it will dispose of it rather more satisfactorily than the Assembly has done.

Leaving out of sight a number of bills which have no chance of passing, rapid-transit legislation stands pretty much in this position: The bill extending the time for the construction of the Gilbert Elevated Road has been signed by the Governor; the bill changing the name of the Beach Pneumatic to the Broadway Underground Railway has passed both Houses. The bill authorizing the Greenwich Street Elevated Road to extend its tracks on the cross streets along the line of its route awaits final passage in the Assembly. Thus we have the apparent possibility of securing in a few years an underground road along the centre of the island, and we have the reasonable certainty of having, in a somewhat shorter time, two elevated roads traversing the entire western section of the City. This is at least a beginning, and so far the Legislature has done its best to afford the City a prospect of relief from the street-car tyranny. In addition to the roads already specified, there can be but other two routes likely to be worked remuneratively, and these must be on the east side of the island. The routes in question are along the line of Third and Fourth avenues, and the Harlem and Third avenue corporations have had the grant of them, so far as the Assembly can settle the matter.

As we have frequently pointed out, the powers granted in these two charters are of too indefinite and extensive a character to be safely intrusted to any public corporation, and least of all to the selfish and unprincipled companies who apply for them. The route of the Gilbert Road was carefully selected by a responsible commission, with the view of causing the least possible injury to property. A similar board will determine the location of the extended tracks of the Greenwich street line, while the actual construction of that road, as well as of the Broadway Underground, will be under the inspection of a Board of Engineer Commissioners appointed by the Governor. Neither the Vanderbilt nor Third avenue charters provide for any such supervision. The outrageous proposal to deface the City Hall Park has indeed been dropped out, and so have the clauses which would have enabled these roads to be worked as mere arteries for freight. But the companies remain the sole judges of the kind of trestle-work or supporting pillars which they are to run along two of our busiest thoroughfares. There are no provisions, unless of the most general kind, for either absence of noise or the concealment of the cars from horses traveling below. For anything that can be enforced to the contrary, these roads may become equally destructive to private property, and dangerous to travel on the streets beneath.

The Senate cannot, in justice to the people of New-York, pass these bills in their present form, and as there is no time left in which to amend them, it had better not pass them at all. We are not particularly sanguine about the results of the Eastman bill, but the experiment of an able and responsible Board of Commissioners to select a route, determine on a plan, and open subscription-books is at least worth trying. Their area for selection of a passenger route is necessarily east of Broadway, but the shore line on both sides of the island is still open for the construction of a freight road. Given a well-considered plan, there should be a fair chance of attracting capital to both or either of these enterprises. Anything is better, as we trust the Senate will remember, than handing over the Third and Fourth avenues almost unconditionally into the possession of two of the most grasping and selfish of all our local corporations.

A DETECTIVE'S HONOR.

Several months ago a woman named HOLBROOK, having been charged with the commission of a crime involving the loss of some $50,000 to a resident of Chicago, gave bail in the latter city and left immediately for New-York. Not having appeared on the day set down for her trial, a detective named MILLER, armed with a requisition from the Governor of Illinois and an order from the jury, was sent in search of her. He came here, procured the aid of a Central Office detective, arrested Miss HOLBROOK, and started for home by way of Canada. By the time the train had reached Hamilton, MILLER's charge had succeeded in making herself so agreeable that when she proposed to alight for supper he promptly consented. There was a policeman at the station, and the woman had no sooner set her foot on the platform than she threw herself into his arms, and claimed protection against MILLER, whom she declared had kidnapped her. Thus appealed to, the blue-coated person had no option but to take her before a Magistrate, and the upshot of the affair was the release of Miss HOLBROOK. MILLER spent some days in reconnoitering her hotel, but finally became discouraged and returned to Chicago.

He there underwent a trial before the Police Commissioners. Failing to show that he had not been to blame for the occurrence which deprived him of his prisoner, he was dismissed from the force. The disgrace of dismissal, coupled with an imputation that he had been well paid for his part in what was termed the Hamilton farce, so affected him that he resolved, at any cost, to find Miss HOLBROOK and bring her to justice. Strong in this resolution, he slipped away from his home last month and made a secret visit to Canada. Once there, he set himself to the work of finding the fugitive, and continued it with wonderful zeal. At last he thought that he had got upon her track. He traced her to a ferry-boat just about starting across the Niagara River to the Canadian side. At that critical moment, if we are to believe his own account of his adventures, he was prevented from arresting the woman by two noted New-York cracksmen, who interposed and threatened, if he moved a step forward, to blow the top of his head into the river. In the face of such a possibility, the detective became absorbed in the man of family. But he did not give up the pursuit. Nothing of the sort. Now more eager than ever to recapture her, he continued traveling from place to place until he reached Troy, N. Y. A sharp scrutiny of the hotel registers enabled him to arrive at the conclusion that Miss HOLBROOK had returned from Canada to New-York, had gone thence to Albany, and finally to Troy. At Cozzens' Hotel he found the name of DUNLASS—Mrs. DUNLASS—upon the register, and having satisfied himself that DUNLASS and HOLBROOK were identical, he demanded to see Mrs. DUNLASS. The hotel clerk informed him that the lady had just taken the train for Schenectady. MILLER was then, of course, more convinced than ever of the correctness of his "theory." He subsequently discovered that Mrs. DUNLASS had changed her purpose in regard to the Schenectady trip, and had gone to pay a visit to a friend.

Ultimately, with the aid of a Troy detective, he succeeded in arresting her. In spite of protestations that she had never seen him before, MILLER appeared happy, and started with her the same evening for Chicago. Upon arriving at his destination he took the woman to the jail and handed her over to the Warden. Up to this time, we are told, everything had progressed most satisfactorily. The Warden, notwithstanding the assurance of MILLER that he had the veritable MOLLIE HOLBROOK in his presence, could not be convinced. He refused her admission to the jail. At the Police station poor MILLER fared no better. The trouble was that MOLLIE HOLBROOK's face happened to be as familiar to the Police as the town clock, so that, although that of the person calling herself Mrs. DUNLASS had a slight resemblance to it, there was no difficulty as to identification. Here was a dilemma. MILLER tried hard to get somebody to take his side in the matter, failing in which he coolly remarked: "Well, if you don't believe that this is MOLLIE HOLBROOK I cannot help you. She is the woman whom I took from the custody of the New-York detectives, and she it was who escaped from me in Canada."

After this statement MILLER's "little game" was seen through at once. By the time the reporters had finished with him, all was made plain. It appears that having grown weary of the hunt in Canada, he resolved to give it up. It would never do, he was well aware, to go back to the scene of his disgrace empty-handed. A woman had to be found at all hazards. Why not find her through the medium of the hotel registers? A good idea! Mrs. DUNLASS happened to be staying at a hotel alone, and to have attached to her movements enough of the mysterious to suit his purpose. She was, moreover, as already stated, not very unlike the fugitive. MILLER thus had, so to speak, two strings to his bow. It was barely possible that her identity might not be questioned, in which case it would have to be generally considered that he had retrieved his honor, and his restoration to the force would follow. Failing in this, he could fall back on the assertion that Mrs. DUNLASS was the woman who had escaped from him. That would throw the burden of proof upon the authorities, and if they should decline to accept it, he would appear before the public with clean hands. The scheme was a clever one, but it had not the effect intended. Indeed, it turned out to be such a lamentable failure that, according to report, MILLER has become so "demoralized" that he is now considered to be of unsound mind. As far as Mrs. DUNLASS is concerned, the "joke" in this case is rather a serious one. She certainly owes it to society to make an example of MILLER, and it is to be hoped that she will not shrink from the task.

THE EMIGRATION BILL.

An effort is to be made, it appears, during the last days of the Legislature, to push through the bill increasing the head-money on emigrants. It has again become necessary to warn the Legislature against a measure so full of peril to the State and City. We have on several occasions spoken in favor of the merits of the case before the Legislature. The entire argument on this bill lies in a small compass. If it is desirable that New-York shall continue to be the chief *entrepôt* for emigrants, the head-money should not be increased. We think it is desirable, and for this reason alone we have opposed this bill, as we shall continue to oppose it. We know that it is said that the steam-ship companies have not complained of the proposed increase, but we also know that this is a matter not within the control of the companies. They can afford to be indifferent, for they will add the increase to the rate of passage, and the tax after all falls upon the emigrants themselves. It is the latter who will decide the question, and they will do it by going to that port which they can reach at the least expense. By passing this bill we give an opportunity to Boston, Philadelphia, and Baltimore to deprive us of a lucrative trade. If this is a good thing to do, let the bill be passed by all means; but if the members desire to serve the interests of their own State, they will reject the bill without ceremony. As we have repeatedly shown, the sentiment of the community is against this measure, and its passage will be a surrender by the Legislature of vital public interests, in order to accommodate a score or so of reckless and extravagant politicians.

No excuse is made for this bill by the Emigration Commissioners who are pressing it with such extraordinary zeal, except that without the increase of $1 they cannot make both ends meet. But they do not undertake to show that they have tried to do so. They have not yet informed the public that they have cut off all sinecures, and reduced their expenses to the lowest possible point. Their plea that they are crippled by diminished emigration is silly in the extreme, for everybody knows that their expenses must be decreased in the same proportion as the number of emigrants is diminished. The threat to abandon Ward's Island, and turn 1,000 paupers loose upon the community, should not be allowed to influence the action of the Legislature. By rigid economy, the Commissioners can properly meet all the responsibilities devolving upon them, and they should be compelled to do so. If, in spite of all that can be urged against it, this bill is passed, its title should be made consistent with its effect, if not its purpose, and it should be declared to be an act to enable the Emigration Commissioners to destroy a great interest of the State, in order that they may be wasteful and extravagant in the discharge of their duties. This is exactly what the bill means, and the members of the Legislature can hardly desire to repeat the insane feat of killing the goose that lays the golden egg.

The Senate seems determined to enter upon this suicidal policy, for we find that the bill was last evening ordered to a third reading, and we are sorry to see that Mr. KING was partly responsible for this result. The Assembly must now be trusted to defeat a measure which we are not surprised to be informed is "pushed by a powerful lobby." It is precisely the sort of bill in which "skilled talent" finds profit and pleasure.

THE ARKANSAS TROUBLES.

BAXTER AND BROOKS BOTH CALLING FOR FEDERAL ASSISTANCE.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The following dispatch was received here to-day:

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 27.

U. S. Grant, President:

On the 19th day of this month, as Governor of this State, I telegraphed you there was an armed insurrection against the legal Government of this State, and made a requisition upon you for aid to suppress it and to prevent domestic violence. I have just now been advised you never received the requisition. I now take occasion to say that an armed insurrection exists in this State against the lawfully-constituted authority thereof, and as the Legislature cannot meet until the 11th day of May, I call upon you for aid to protect the State against domestic violence.

(Signed,) E. BAXTER, Governor of Arkansas.

A similar call had previously been received from Mr. Brooks, claiming to be Governor, and two attorneys in his behalf reached here yesterday to urge a compliance with the call. Two attorneys dispatched by Mr. Baxter will soon arrive on a like errand in his interest.

The question as to who the actual Governor is will be presented to the President for decision, unless some other mode of settlement shall intervene before the matter is formally taken up for Executive consideration.

LAKE NAVIGATION.

KINGSTON, Ontario, April 28.—Propellers Standly and Bristol, and the steamer Alexandra, the first boats of the season, passed down the river to-day en route to Montreal.

COLLINGWOOD, C. W., April 28.—The harbor is still blocked with ice, and a large number of vessels are waiting to get in and out.

THE CHARGE AGAINST MR. HALSTEAD DISMISSED.

The case of Mr. Murat Halstead of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, for promoting a scheme of chance, was called in the Police Court of that city on Saturday. The prosecutor had no witnesses present, but introduced the paper containing the advertisement, and had an admission from the defense that the advertisement was of a lottery. Here the State rested. The defense called Mr. Kline, one of the book-keepers of the *Commercial*, who testified that he received the advertisement from a regular New-York agency by mail, and sent it to the composing-room by inadvertence. Mr. Gano ordered it out the next day, and the parties were notified that no pay would be received for that insertion. Mr. Gano corroborated the statements concerning his action. Mr. Campbell offered in evidence an advertisement of nearly a year ago, which appeared in the *Commercial*, and which he claimed was a lottery advertisement, but the court ruled it out. Mr. Campbell made an argument of some length, and at its conclusion Judge Marchant dismissed the case.

PHILADELPHIA EPISCOPALIANS.

A meeting of persons interested in the organization of a Reformed Episcopal Church in Philadelphia was held on Monday evening. Rev. Walter Windeyer was called to the chair, and opened the meeting with prayer. He stated that the object of the meeting was to take steps toward forming a Reformed Episcopal Church in the city, as in some of the dioceses there were scarcely any low church men, and fair, open Popery is at work in the church. After further remarks he read the declaration of principles of the reform movement. Remarks were also made in favor of reform by Thomas H. Powers and a vestryman of the Church of the Ascension, who declined to give his name. The Chairman said he knew of three able ministers who were ready to join in the movement at an early day. Articles of agreement for the formation of a new church were then presented, and forty-five signatures were obtained. A committee was appointed to nominate vestrymen, and to obtain a place for worship.

ANOTHER CANADIAN JURY.

The conclusion of a libel suit in Stratford, Canada, is thus described by one of the local papers: "The jury retired, and after an absence of four hours came into court and handed his Lordship a written verdict of 'Guilty of libel without malice.' His Lordship explained to them that this verdict was equal to a verdict of not guilty. The foreman replied that they were unanimous in their verdict. They were then asked to make their verdict in the usual way, of 'guilty' or 'not guilty.' They again returned with the same verdict. His Lordship refused to accept it, and the jury again retired, and after a further absence of two hours came into court and said they could [illegible]. They were then d[illegible]

NOTES FROM FRANCE.

THE LONGCHAMPS RACES — THE FRENCH TURF—ENGLAND'S INFLUENCE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PARIS, Monday, April 13, 1874.

The second day's racing at Longchamps yesterday was even more brilliant than the first. The weather was all that could be desired, and a very large crowd assembled upon the broad green pelouse of the Bois de Boulogne. In every instance the favorites carried off the honors. Within the past few years, despite the unsettled state of the country, racing in France has made a most remarkable progress. The dream of the late Emperor has been realized, although he did not live to enjoy the triumph of his ideas. Since the Grand Prix de Paris of last year the growing importance of the French turf has been recognized, and its rivalry with the English turf clearly established. English breeders are now glad to send their horses across the Channel, and the Duke of Hamilton and a few more have established their principal stables in this country. It is thought that horses of English stock bred in France are superior to their brothers and cousins reared in England. It may be in the feed, in the climate, perhaps, or it may be that a slight infusion of French blood improves the quality. There is something to be said for and against all the theories which have yet been advanced, for we see M. Lefèvre and M. Delemarre establishing their French studs in England, and carrying off a large proportion of the prizes. Their three-year olds which have been bred in England have turned out winners, and this fact would seem to militate against that of climatic influences, or even the theory that there is something in the feed. Time alone can test this interesting problem, but in order to test it more speedily, and to arrive at a solution within a shorter time, it is desirable to have a few horses over from America. Why cannot Mr. Belmont, for instance, send over a horse or two for the Grand Prix of 1875, in order to test their running qualities with the French horses, and also to test their improvement after a year or two in France? On Saturday I called at the Jockey Club to see Grandhomme, the Secretary, and he asked me to invite American breeders to send over some of their horses for a few years' residence in this country, and the inducements which he held out seemed to me of some importance. In the first place, the prizes offered here are worth the risk, and an American stable could follow the example of such stables as those of M. Lefèvre and take part in all the English races. Four or five years hence we might have some three-year olds here which would be worth their weight in gold. And if Mr. Belmont, or some man of his wealth, does not care to take the risk, why can we not form an association of turfmen for the purpose? In France very few of the crack stables belong to a single man, but are kept up by a company.

FRENCH HORSES.

At the present moment there are some magnificent horses upon the French turf. I am inclined to believe that Boïard, the winner of the "French Derby," is the finest animal of his species in the world. Since Gladiateur's day we have had nothing to compare with him. Franc-Tireur is another splendid animal, and Flageolet and Moissoneur, though not equal to the tremendous exploits of Boïard, are yet able to hold their own in any ordinary contest. Among the three-year olds which appeared yesterday at Longchamps, Succès, a son of Gladiateur; Premier-Mai, Vexation, Clairvoyant, and Poudrière are all destined to make a noise in the world. Vexation and Succès belong to M. Lefèvre, and it was desired yesterday that the former should win the Prix de Longchamps, but at the last moment M. Delemarre's Cantine shot forward with astonishing speed and passed Vexation, then under the lash. Jennings was keeping his horse at her shoulder, and as Cantine showed no signs of relaxing, he was forced to push Succès forward in order to save the race. It was won by a head. Nine horses were entered for the Prix de la Seine, the favorite being the redoubtable Franc-Tireur. As he gave the large odds of twenty-eight pounds, I concluded to "follow the Baron," and hence backed M. De Rothschild's Eros; but he was nowhere in the end. Despite his extra weight, Franc-Tireur shot ahead of his competitors, and kept ahead to the homestretch without turning a hair; and he came in two or three lengths ahead with the greatest ease. Behind him was Premier-Mai. But Franc-Tireur, the property of M. Chas. Laffitte, (Major Fridolin on the turf,) is classed as a four-year old, and the others were only three. The great race of the day was for the "Prix Raimbow," 15,000 francs, distance three English miles, for four-year olds and over. Moissoneur and Flageolet alone entered against Boïard. Carver pulled the latter from the start, and Jennings was content to keep Flageolet at his flanks. Moissoneur shot ahead some half a dozen yards, and was allowed to keep this position the first round, and it was only on reaching the top of the hill that the horses came together in a line and turned the course abreast. It was then that Boïard showed his stamina. He gradually drew away from his competitors, and, without a blow or a word, came bounding in a good length ahead. His long, easy stride, his graceful leap forward, his swelling muscles as he seems to throw his entire force into his haunches, and his proud look upon the crowd on either side, form a striking and impressive picture. Boïard never labors, never seems to feel his efforts, and he turns his head to the applause with a look of mute wonder, as if to inquire what there was astonishing in his keeping at the head of the line.

ON THE COURSE.

It was yesterday the first fair Sunday we have had for some time, and as a natural consequence the eyes of all Paris were turned toward the Bois de Boulogne. By 12 o'clock the cabmen were all engaged, and not a vehicle of any sort was left upon the stands. The only sure way of getting a conveyance to the races was to walk on toward the Madelaine and Champs Elysées, in order to catch one coming back empty. About 1 o'clock, long omnibus wagons, with postilions in the traditional costume, started out full to overflowing, and everything the livery stables could furnish was speedily brought into requisition. Perhaps a third of the cabs were engaged for an afternoon's ride in the Bois and for tours about the lake, and hundreds of vehicles were stationed near the cascade, while their occupants were wandering in the wood. Just beyond the cascade the wood ends, and then comes a broad, green lawn, belonging to the Jockey Club, which forms the course of Longchamps. The grand stand is at the further side; behind it a line of trees, the Seine, the village of Surresnes rapidly rising from the river's side; the railroad running far above the place, and in the distance the fortress of Mont Valerien. Seen from the top of the grand stand, where many thousands of people are gathered upon the turf below, the scene is one to be remembered. The fashionable world was largely represented, and the reporters of this morning's press give detailed accounts of the toilets worn by titled ladies on this occasion. Isabella, the flower-girl of the Jockey Club, (who is now hard upon forty years, but still a handsome woman,) wore the colors of the Boiard, and the achievement of her favorite saved her the cost of a dress of another color for the following meeting. MacMahon, in citizen's dress, was on hand for the first time, accompanied by M. De Broglie and several of the Ministers, and the President remained to the end, taking a strong interest, apparently, in the running. There were any number of Princes, diplomats, and journalists upon the ground, and nearly all profited by the "tip" given by the jockey of M. Lefèvre to put a few louis upon Vexation, but Cantine's obstinacy in pushing in made it necessary to win with Succès, who was fifteen to one at the start. It is such stable mysteries and interests as these which derange the plans of outside backers. The jockey who rode Moissoneur, for instance, had positive orders not to beat Flageolet, except sure of beating Boïard; and the Baron ordered that Eros should be badly beaten unless he came in first. In consequence he was not even "placed." But all this made the races very interesting and exciting, and I have rarely seen a day at Longchamps so heartily enjoyed.

THE INFLUENCE OF ENGLAND.

When I began it was with the intention of saying something of the progress of the French turf, but it is now too late to say much upon this subject. It was only a few years ago that the inferiority of French horses was as generally recognized as their superiority is to-day. But the Emperor, who always had a strong admiration for the English, resolved to encourage their manly sports. He gave space for racket courts, money to ball and cricket clubs, prizes to yacht and boating clubs, reorganized the Government studs, (harras,) and patronized the horse shows in Paris and in all parts of France. He introduced the English style of hunting at Fontainebleau and Compiègne. It was just after the Crimean war that the French began to give their attention to racing, at a moment when an extremely cordial *entente* existed between France and England. The nation was then in excellent humor. The Queen had just distributed fifty thousand Victoria medals to the heroes who had fought beside her red-coats in the East; affairs had prospered; financial operations were opening up in every direction; vast improvements were in progress throughout the country; the Landes were being reclaimed to agriculture; the French love for military glory had been satisfied, and a young Prince had been born as if to give a promise of serenity in the future. An excellent commercial treaty was concluded with England, and the nations were on the best of terms. The French were suddenly seized with a sort of Anglophobia, and manly sports became the rage. Gentlemen's fashions came from England, and those who could afford it had their clothes made in London. Poole became as famous upon the boulevards as Worth is in another line. English words in abundance were incorporated into the conversations of the day. A railway car became a "wagon," and a cane a "stick." English names were given to dogs and horses. The young dandies affected rough English suits for walking, thick-soled brogans, and never went out without a "stick" in their hands, and accompanied by the ugliest-looking bull-pup it was possible to find. The men with horses felt bound to find a diminitive "tiger," whom they put into big boots, under a big hat, and covered with buttons. Young men took to tea and pale ale, Stilton cheese and Worcester sauce, and followed the supposed English custom of eating their beef only slightly warmed upon the outside. Half-and-half was ordered in English quite as pure as that ordinarily employed in London for ordering this beverage. And as time wore on they adopted English dickeys and cravats, Oxford ties and dog-skin gloves, carried an umbrella in all weather, parted their hair in middle, or screwed a single glass into one eye. British coolness and phlegm became a study, and all of "milor Anglais'" reported eccentricities were taken as real traits of the Brittannic character and copied with more or less success. To be as English as possible was then regarded as the thing for a young man who was a member of the "high-life" (another imported term) or who wished to appear to be.

FRENCH IDEAS AND BRITISH HABITS.

Oftentimes this mania was very amusing, for French ideas of English habits and customs were frequently—as Rochefort was accustomed to say when told that a Cabinet Minister showed an ignorance of anything—were frequently "ex-ces-siv-e-ly droll." Perhaps I can best illustrate their general character by a recent experience. When going to Chiselhurst, the other day, I was with a young gentleman of the highest education and culture, and as sensible a young fellow as I know, and one who is sure to make his mark in the world. I saw but one thing to criticise in him, and that was his undue awe for the Prince, who was our traveling companion. And when Monseigneur insisted upon taking pot luck with us in London, his enthusiasm knew no bounds. But this is one of the results of the social training a lad has in Europe, even in this country of *egalité*. The next morning I suggested that all should take tea instead of coffee, as in Paris. "Oh! no," cried my friend at once; "while here I am going to follow English customs strictly," and with an air of great satisfaction: "I shall take a glass of gin and bitters over the counter." He did so, in fact, swallowing the nasty stuff without a grimace, and smacking his lips as if he liked it. He was under the profound conviction that every good Englishman went out to the nearest bar every morning of his life and took a glass of gin and bitters *sur le zinc*. He had read this in some novel, probably in one by Paul De Koch, who, never having been in England, naturally knew all about the manners and customs of the people. As this young gentleman seemed so proud of his knowledge, I concluded to let him enjoy it, feeling sure, however, that the gin taken upon an empty stomach would convince him of his error a great deal quicker than I could do it by argument. A great many of the English customs formerly adopted were of this order, but racing was not one of them, for the turfmen knew England well. After the success of Gladiateur the turf became popular, and the Emperor did all in his power to encourage it. A few weeks before the war I saw him presiding at the horse show in the Champs Elysée—bringing the Cent Guards in to make the scene more brilliant—and although he has passed out of existence, the seed then sown is bearing fruit to-day. The sons and daughters of the horses he then decorated with the blue ribbon are now winning honors at Longchamps and Chantilly, and challenging the world to meet them upon the turf of the Bois de Boulogne.

BRIEF MENTION.

The length of my letter forces me to cut these gossiping reminiscences abruptly short, yet these is nothing else I care to talk about to-day. Our Parliamentary vacation is not yet over, and all the political plans are yet in embryo. The most important piece of news, if true, relates to the presence of the Count De Chambord. He is said to be here in disguise, waiting for the vote upon the *projét de Constitution*, which must be presented early in the coming session. Once before he has been here, on the 24th of May, and wanted to enter the Chamber and proclaim himself the legitimate King of France. His friends persuaded him to desist, because he would surely be taken out by the Sergeant at Arms. He then demanded an interview with MacMahon, which the latter declined on the ground that it would compromise him. The Prince insisted. On the third application MacMahon sent word that he should ride that day in the forest, and the Prince went to meet him. The two rode together, the Prince talking fast and gesticulating with energy, the Marshal listening without a movement. All attempts to appropriate MacMahon have failed, and perhaps an attempt will be made to overthrow him like M. Thiers. But it is thought certain that the Ministry will be defeated, and that M. De Broglie, at least, will be forced to retire.

THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

MYSTERIOUS APPEARANCE AND DISAPPEARANCE OF KIRTLAND—TESTIMONY TAKEN IN SECRET SESSION BY THE COMMITTEE LAST NIGHT.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—There was a mysterious development in the Chittenden case this afternoon and evening. This afternoon the District Investigating Committee were apprised by a Mr. Wilcox that Kirtland had been in the city in frequent and close consultation with Chittenden and Storrs, his counsel. The committee took immediate action. This evening, while Chittenden and his counsel were dining at the Ebbitt House, a Senate Deputy Sergeant at Arms served subpœnaes upon them to appear forthwith before the District Investigating Committee. They directly obeyed the summons. The committee, after hearing the testimony of Wilcox, and after the adjournment of the Senate, had remained at the Capitol in secret session. The examination of Chittenden and Storrs this evening was also conducted in the strictest secrecy. It is known, however, that their testimony was to the following effect: Kirtland, who is notorious as the associate of Chittenden in the use of the very mysterious $97,000 in connection with the De Golyer contract, has been in Washington three times since this investigation began, but in absolute incognito. He was here last on Friday. He stopped at the house of Wilcox, a clerk in the Third Auditor's office, who had been a personal friend of Kirtland. Wilcox found Chittenden, and took him in a carriage to his house, where an interview with Kirtland was obtained. Subsequently, and in daylight, Kirtland visited Storrs in his room at the Ebbitt House, where a consultation between Chittenden, Kirtland, and Storrs was had. Since Friday Kirtland has not been seen here. His whereabouts are not now known. Ira Holmes, of Chicago, the banker through whom the notes were negotiated, has also been here, but his presence was unknown, except to Chittenden, Storrs, and a detective. In answer to an interrogatory of the committee why they had not communicated to the committee knowledge of the fact that Kirtland was here, the witnesses replied that they did not consider it their business so to do. This mysterious appearance and disappearance of Kirtland, and these consultations, have made a very unfavorable impression upon the committee. Every effort will now be made to secure Kirtland, and Chittenden will not be released until Kirtland appears.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The District Investigating Committee to-day began hearing evidence for the defense.

Samuel T. Pritchie, of the firm of Sperry & Pritchie, of Talmadge, Ohio, was sworn, and testified that the pipe sewer furnished by his firm to the Board of Public Works was at lower figures than was charged the Cities of Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Rochester, Cincinnati, and other cities.

Moses Kelly testified that in his capacity as Cashier of the National Metropolitan Bank he had advanced money to contractors on District securities at eight per cent. interest, holding the securities as collaterals, but that he had never purchased the certificates outright, and that he had no arrangement with the Board of Public Works with reference to the redemption of certificates then advanced upon, but that the bank took its chances for repayment. He denied that he had ever entered into a conspiracy with Kilbourn and others for the purpose of controlling contracts.

John L. Kidwell, charged as one of the conspirators to secure District contracts, denied that he had ever entered into a conspiracy to secure contracts, and knew nothing of the existence of any such conspiracy. He stated that he was President of the Seneca Sandstone Company, and that it had furnished but about $3,000 worth of stone to the Board of Public Works. The company had sold to Jones and Collines, contractors under the board, about $40,000 worth of stone, upon which, however, there had been no profits on account of the pay being in part in District scrip.

Ex-Gov. Cooke denied his connection with any organized conspiracy to secure or control contracts. He did not know Rev. Calvin Brown, or Kirtland, nor did he know they were operating to secure the De Golyer & McLellan contract. He knew Mr. Chittenden casually; was introduced to him by Mr. Huntington, who at the time told witness that Mr. Chittenden was endeavoring to secure a contract for De Golyer & McLellan; witness told Mr. Huntington not to interest himself in Mr. Chittenden's business, as his motives might be misconstrued.

After recess Ex-Gov. Cooke was recalled. He testified that, to his knowledge, no ring had anything to do with the letting of contracts; that the Board of Public Works, at the time they advertised for proposals to do work, had previously agreed not to award contracts by bids, but to invite bids merely as a basis upon which to fix a schedule of prices. He could not recall why the prices, after the execution of contracts had been made, were raised. He presumed the reasons for a change were satisfactory to the board. He did not know such an advance in prices was in violation of law.

The witness was asked on what authority of law he signed his name to a contract after his term of office had expired, to which he replied that it was merely a clerical matter, a majority of the board having previously signed the same. He considered that when an award was made by the Board of Public Works, it was equivalent to a contract. He knew nothing of Huntington's interest or arrangements in any contract until just before his death, when he ascertained that he had an interest in a concrete-paving contract on Pennsylvania avenue. He further testified that, before the first Government appropriation was made to the District, the Board of Public Works had made an overdraft on the First National Bank of this city to the extent of $200,000, which was reimbursed when the board came in possession of the proceeds of the appropriation. He did not know that the District securities, upon which money had been advanced by the First National and Metropolitan Banks of the city to contractors were lifted by the Treasurer of the Board of Public Works, and not lifted on similar advances made by the Freedman's Bank in this city. He was not aware that, in securing the first Government appropriation, the district authorities charged the Government for work not done.

The witness was requested to stand aside, and George H. Wilcox was sworn, who testified that he knew A. B. Kirtland; that he saw him last on Wednesday and Thursday at his (witness') house in the city; that he came to Washington on the 16th day of April; that he was in the city when he (witness) was secretly examined a week ago at Wormley's Hotel.

Q.—Why did you not tell the committee he was in the city at that session? Did you not know we were anxious to know of his whereabouts?

A.—I was not asked the direct question as to where he was.

Witness resuming, testified that Emory Stows, of Chicago, who appeared as attorney for Mr. Chittenden, had an interview with Mr. Kirtland at his (witness') house. Mr. Chittenden did not seek Mr. Kirtland at his house, but the witness has an impression that they had an interview together. Witness was asked by the Chairman if Mr. Kirtland was still in the city; to which he replied he thought he had left the city.

Q.—Have you had any conversations with Kirtland, at any time, with reference to the disposition made by him of the money he received from Chittenden on account of the De Golyer & McLellan contract?

Witness replied that he had had a general conversation with Kirtland; that in speaking of Chittenden's testimony before the committee, Kirtland said he thought it was fair testimony, and that his testimony would be about the same. Heretofore Kirtland had told witness that he did not have the benefit of all the money paid him by Chittenden on behalf of De Golyer & McLellan.

Q.—Did he tell you who shared with him that money?

A.—Not directly. He indirectly led me to infer—I should prefer, however, not to answer that question at this time.

Mr. Allison—We will take you into the adjoining room, Mr. Wilcox, and examine you in private.

Whereupon the committee retired with the witness, excluding all but members.

The committee was in secret session up to 9:30 o'clock.

Mr. Chittenden, Emery Storrs, his attorney, and Wm. G. Moore, a partner of Gov. Shepherd in the plumbing business, were severally examined.

The committee are reticent and will not divulge the nature of the testimony adduced.

WASHINGTON.

THE LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS.

PASSAGE OF THE BILL IN THE HOUSE—RADICAL CHANGES EFFECTED BY IT—THE BANK-NOTE PRINTING—EXPOSURE OF A TRICK UPON CONGRESS—THE TEN PER CENT. DUTY.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The amendments to the Legislative Appropriation bill agreed to in the Committee of the Whole were adopted, with few exceptions, although the day was, to a great extent, occupied by roll-calls forced by Democrats. This bill effects some very radical changes. It has occasioned an aggregate reduction in the legislative branch of $1,107,000; it has reduced the clerical force in the departments by 508 persons, thus securing an annual economy of over $500,000, and it greatly reduces the expense of the national loan by abolishing the permanent appropriation of something over $3,000,000, and substituting therefor a regular appropriation based upon annual estimates. There was an extended controversy over the proposition to place the sum for the printing of notes and bonds at the disposal of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. Mr. Dawes opposed any such amendment, stating that it would destroy checks upon the Treasury which had been so zealously maintained by Secretaries Chase, McCulloch, and Boutwell, and would result in putting the work in the hands of the Columbia Bank Note Company, an institution which, he said, was little known outside of the shadow of the Treasury. Mr. Dawes was willing by this change to permit the possibility of any public distrust of the national currency. Mr. Kellogg, however, succeeding in having the present law left unchanged until after the report of the Committee on Banking and Currency, which now is investigating the subject. The committee will probably recommend some legislation on this subject when it has learned all the facts. The House non-concurred in the following other amendments adopted in Committee of the Whole, and then passed the bill: The amendment for the Assay Office at Charlotte, N. C., and the one striking out the sum appropriated for a horse and carriage for the Department of Justice. (It was considered invidious to make such a distinction as regards the Department of Justice, inasmuch as other departments are allowed their official carriages.) The amendments striking out the clause relative to the hours of labor in the departments, and the amendment making an appropriation for rivers, harbors, light-houses, and public buildings, were adopted, notwithstanding the opposition of the Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations.

GEOGRAPHICAL AND GEOLOGICAL SURVEYS.

The answer to the resolution proposed by Mr. Shoemaker about two weeks ago, calling on the President to give information to the House as to what geographical and geological surveys under the different departments are operating in the same areas of territory west of the Mississippi River, and inquiring as to the practicability of consolidating them under one department, is nearly ready to transmit to Congress, and will be sent in to-morrow or within a few days. The records of all the work that has been done in the way of explorations and surveys for the Government by all the departments that have had charge of that work have been carefully searched and compared, and the information with which the House will be furnished will have some very interesting results. The resolution was originally offered, it is understood, in behalf of Lieut. Wheeler's exploring operations, with a design to secure the consolidation of all the surveys under the Engineer Department of the Government. This will be very vigorously opposed by the Interior Department, and it seems to meet with very little approval in Congress. It will be shown, among other things, that in the military expeditions of recent years very little scientific work has been accomplished by persons connected with the army, the officers in charge and troops with them acting simply as escorts, while the actual work was done by trained civilians. The cost of these military expeditions, while apparently not very great, is really enormous, and it is stated that Lieut. Wheeler expended last season alone over a quarter of a million of dollars.

EXPOSURE OF A NEFARIOUS PRACTICE.

An exposure of a curious and disreputable practice was made in the House this morning. It has long been a subject of comment that many of the great schemes of a questionable character, in favor of which bills are introduced every Winter, contain in the list of incorporators some of the most distinguished names of the country. Mr. Maynard, this evening, called attention to the fact that in a bill to incorporate the National Land and Immigration Company the name of John Trimble, a prominent citizen of Tennessee, had been placed without authority. This announcement brought out from a Pennsylvania member the fact that the name of George W. Childs, of Philadelphia, is in the same bill without authority. Speaker Blaine also stated that he had received several letters from gentlemen who informed him that their names were in the bill without authority.

THE VACANT JUDGESHIP OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS.

There is a lively contest for the succession to the vacant seat in the Court of Claims. The candidates are quite numerous, including Horace Maynard, Judge Poland, of Vermont, and Glenni W. Schofield, of Pennsylvania, all of whom are present members of the House of Representatives of long standing. It is very important that the person to be appointed be a lawyer of ability and learning, as the cases coming before the court often require extended knowledge of all branches of commercial law, and involve intricate questions of an international and constitutional character.

THE TEN PER CENT. DUTY.

A delegation of sixty manufacturers from various States are here urging upon the Committee on Ways and Means the restoration of the ten per centum duty on iron, steel, and other articles repealed by the law of June 6, 1872. The delegation had a hearing this morning, continued their hearing this evening, and expect to conclude to-morrow. The delegation claim that the repeal of this tax lost to the Government $13,000,000, without the reduction to the consumer of anything under cost of the articles in the schedules. Members of the Ways and Means Committee openly say that the leading cause of our present financial difficulty is the reduction of the tax on tea and coffee, and this repeal of ten per cent. on many other articles. Of course there is very little prospect of these taxes being restored at this session.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

MANUFACTURERS ASKING FOR REIMPOSITION OF REPEALED DUTIES.

The Committee on Ways and Means gave a hearing this morning to a deputation from Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Illinois, and Michigan in favor of a repeal of the act of 6th of June, 1872, reducing by ten per cent. the duty on certain imported articles. The speakers were Mr. Joseph Wharton, of Philadelphia, the proprietor of the only nickel works in the country; Mr. Reeves, of Philadelphia, President of the American Iron and Steel Association, and Gen. Robert Patterson, of Philadelphia, the owner of several cotton and woolen factories. From Mr. Wharton's statement it appeared the restoration of the ten per cent. was not necessary for his own business, nor was it asked for his own interest but for the general manufacturing interests of the country. The great depression in the iron and steel business was attributed by Mr. Reeves rather to the recent financial panic than to any competition from abroad, but he nevertheless urged the restoration of the ten per cent. Gen. Patterson represented that the activity of the British manufacturers was stimulated by the recent panic, and their competition was more pressing, so that the condition of the cotton and woolen manufactures in the United States was so depressed that he was willing to sell all his establishments at half their cost, and that he had given notice that he would close them all up next Saturday week.

NAVAL INTELLIGENCE.

Capt. Richard Henshaw has been ordered to command the Ticonderoga; Commander Wm. B. Cushing is ordered to the navy-yard at Washington as assistant to the executive officer; Paymaster A. J. Smith is ordered to the Constellation; Capt. Edward Barrett is detached from the Ticonderoga and placed on waiting orders; Lieut. Commander A. H. Wright is detached from the Michigan and ordered to the Swatara as Executive Officer; Lieut. Seaton Schroeder is detached from the Mayflower and ordered to the Swatara; Master Wm. H. Driggs is recalled from the South Atlantic Station and granted leave of absence; Acting Gunner Robert Summers is detached from the Naval Academy at Annapolis and ordered to the Constellation. The Navy Department is advised that the Monocacy was at Singapore March 9. The Fortune, engaged in surveying service in the Gulf of Mexico, arrived at Vera Cruz April 11.

NOMINATIONS SENT TO THE SENATE.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate to-day: Samuel D. Burdett, of Missouri, to be Commissioner of the General Land Office, vice Willis Drummond, resigned; Gustave Riche, Register of the Land Office, Boonville, Mo.; Stephen Miller, Register for the Bismark Land District, Dakota, and Edward M. Brown, Receiver of Public Moneys in the same district; James M. Brougham, Surveyor of Customs, Velasco, Texas. Postmasters—John Dietrich at Calvert, Texas; Mrs. C. T. Smith, Walla Walla, Washington Territory; Alex. K. Ewing, Logansport, Ind.; John M. Lewis, Boonville, N. Y.; E. F. Rowell, Lowell, Mass.

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

The Senate in executive session to-day confirmed the following nominations: Edward A. Bragden, Collector of Customs, District of York, Maine; Alexander K. Ewing, Postmaster, Logansport, Ind.

THE CABINET MEETING.

The Cabinet session to-day was unimportant. All the members were present excepting Secretary Richardson, who was represented by Assistant Secretary Sawyer.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE ITALIAN OPERA.

The promise of Signor Muzio's benefit night was fulfilled *ad pedem litterae*, yesterday. The audience that filled the Academy was the largest gathered this season, and the programme was one which, in point of variety and comprehensiveness, has never been equaled. Its familiar elements were its best. We have never heard the splendid third act of "Lohengrin" given with more finish and effect, Signor Campanini, who last evening took his leave of American audiences, personating *Lohengrin* with the rare combination of dignity and tenderness already credited to his performance, and singing through the duet and the Grail music with unfailing sweetness and delicacy, and Mme. Nilsson presenting her chaste picture of *Elsa* with her wonted attention to detail. The second act of "Fra Diavolo" was almost as cleverly rendered, Mme. Lucca's scene *en deshabillé* passing off as merrily as usual, and M. Capoul, Signor Scolara, and Miss Cary, not forgetting Signor Boy, co-operating briskly with the German prima donna. The fifth act of "L'Africaine" had previously introduced Mme. Lucca as *Selika*, a character which the lady's strong dramatic impulses fit her to portray with great eloquence. In the way of novelty, the spectators had the second act of "William Tell," Verdi's "Hymn of Nations," and "The Star Spangled Banner." The grand trio for tenor, baritone, and basso was sung with considerable vigor by Signori Campanini, Del Puente, and Nannetti, though it was clear that if Signor Campanini had had the work to himself, something still more satisfactory would have been listened to. The chorus was by no means proficient in the after-passages of the act, and without a first-rate chorus, "Guglielmo Tell" on the stage is of slight account. Nor were we profoundly impressed by Verdi's "Hymn of Nations," which is but a potpourri of European national airs, as devoid of value as most compositions written, one might say, by commission. Mme. Nilsson sang this number, a chorus assisting, but the applause was intended, we opine, rather for the artist's good will than for the music assigned her. Miss Cary, who sang "The Star Spangled Banner," was the object of a genuine oration, and had to repeat the two verses she recited and to come before the curtain again and again. Recalls were, of course, features of the representation, and Signor Muzio, who has striven hard and successfully this season to secure symmetrical and attractive entertainments, was also honored by a summons to the footlights, and complimented by liberal gifts of flowers and wreaths. The opera to-night will be "Mignon," with Mme. Nilsson.

MISS CUSHMAN'S READINGS.

Miss Cushman reads at the Academy of Music, this afternoon. Selections from "Macbeth" and miscellaneous compositions make up the programme.

KLENNEN, THE HOBOKEN BANK DEFAULTER, IN JAIL.

Fred. Klennen, the Hoboken Bank defaulter, who was captured in London several weeks ago, arrived in Jersey City yesterday by the steamer Republic, of the White Star Line, and was immediately lodged in the Hudson County Jail. The steamer sailed on the 15th inst., but encountered heavy weather, and, though due on Monday evening, did not arrive until yesterday. At about 2 o'clock yesterday she was sighted off Sandy Hook, and Capt. Donovan, to whose skill the capture is due, immediately started down the bay to meet her. He took his prisoner with Detective McDonough, who arrested the prisoner, and in whose custody Klennen was, on board of the craft which he had chartered. On arrival in Jersey City Klennen was immediately put into a coach and driven to the Hudson County Jail, on Hudson City Heights. He sat in the office and chatted for a while, and was then committed to the witness room. He is held in jail under a bench warrant from the Court of Oyer and Terminer. Klennen, immediately after the discovery of his defalcation, was indicted by the Grand Jury, and it is to await trial upon this charge that he is held. Mr. Shippen, President of the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, is said to have conversed with him after his arrival, but it is not generally known what admissions, if any, he made. Detective McDonough has nothing new to report concerning the capture of the prisoner. His statement agrees with that already published. He had no trouble with Klennen on ship-board, but found him submissive, but little inclined to talk about his bank troubles.

ALLEGED KIDNAPPING CASE.

In the Court of Oyer and Terminer, yesterday, counsel appeared before Judge Brady for a Mrs. Small and obtained a writ of habeas corpus, commanding Capt. Williams, of the Fifteenth Precinct, to produce forthwith the body of her daughter, Teresa Small, aged twelve years, unlawfully detained by him. Mrs. Small said that about 1:30 yesterday morning two men, describing themselves as Capt. Williams and Commissioner Gardner, called at her house, No. 15 First street, and demanded admission. She refused to admit them, whereupon they, she added, broke open the door and forcibly abducted the said Teresa Small in a seminude condition. Capt. Williams afterward appeared in court, and denied positively that he had the child in custody, and the case was adjourned until to-day to enable the Captain to make a formal return to the writ. Last evening a TIMES reporter called upon Capt. Williams at the Police Station in Prince street. The Captain said that no door had been broken in at No. 15 First street, nor had any child been abducted partly clad, as stated by Mrs. Small. The Captain continued by saying that No. 15 First street, where Mrs. Small lives, is a panel-house of the worst kind; that Mrs. Small is not the mother of the girl whom she claimed in court as her daughter. He added that the girl was at least fifteen or sixteen years of age, but had been dressed in short clothes that she might appear to be younger, and used to decoy people into her house, where they were robbed. The Captain did not say where the girl was, but denied that she was in his custody, and said that he did not take her away from No. 15 First street forcibly. He further said that he was prepared to meet Mrs. Small in court to-day, and there would fully explain all the details of the case.

BASE-BALL NOTES.

The Chicago White Stockings played the second of a series of practice games with the Empires of St. Louis, on the grounds of the latter club, in St. Louis, on Saturday last. The St. Louis *Democrat*, in speaking of the game, says it was, beyond a shadow of doubt, the best-fought battle ever witnessed in that city, if not in the West, as the small score proves. Had it not been for a collision between Schimper and Murray, of the Empires, in the third inning, the score would have been more favorable to the State champions.

The following is the score by innings:

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th.	9th.	
Chicago	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	1	0	—6
Empire	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	—4

The Philadelphia Club will play the Atlantics to-day and the Mutuals to-morrow, on the Union Grounds.

PREPARATIONS FOR DECORATION DAY.

The delegates from the different posts of the Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic met last evening at Nos. 18 and 20 St. Mark's place. Gen. E. Jardine presided. A communication was read from E. W. Burlinghausen declining the office of Treasurer. On motion the communication was received and the resignation accepted. Gen. Joseph C. Pinckney was then elected Treasurer. Committees on Finance, Printing, Flowers, Academy, Orations, Transportation, Music, Head-quarters, and Decorations were then appointed by the Chairman. A resolution was adopted, empowering the Chairman and Secretary to communicate with the heads of the City and military departments, in order that members of the Grand Army might obtain leave on Decoration Day. The Secretary was also instructed to notify the Police Commissioners and obtain their permission to parade on that day. It was also resolved that invitations should be extended to all military organizations to participate in the parade.

MURDER IN THE FIRST WARD.

AN INTELLIGENCE OFFICE-KEEPER KILLS HIS CLERK—ARREST OF THE MURDERER IN BROOKLYN.

The intelligence office in the basement of No. 86 Greenwich street was the scene of a quarrel yesterday afternoon which resulted fatally for one of the parties concerned. The office, which is frequented by German emigrants, is kept by one Ernest Moller, a powerfully-built German, who resides with his wife and family at No. 473 Seventeenth street, Brooklyn, in a large brown-stone house, which he purchased about a year ago. For the last two years Moller left the management of the office to Henry Moher, an old and decrepit man, who slept in the office at night, and who received a scant pittance as wages. Yesterday afternoon Moller had been drinking heavily, and coming into the office found that Moher had not attended to some trivial matters of business. He abused Moher, and finally struck at him. Moher struck back, when Moller seized him by the throat, and after striking him several times, knocked him down on the floor of the office and kicked him violently in the abdomen. Moher immediately began to writhe about the floor in intense agony. Moller left the office and walking down Greenwich street, crossed to his home in Brooklyn, drinking in several saloons on the way. Two German men and a woman who were in the office at the time of the fight failed to give any information to the Police. Moher remained lying on the floor in agony until 4:30 o'clock, when he died. Soon after Officer Ramsey was informed that a man had been killed in Moller's office, and on entering the place found Moher's dead body on the floor. The witnesses were at once taken into custody, and the case reported to Capt. Lowery, who detailed Detectives Quigley and Mulvey to arrest Moller. They succeeded in finding his residence in Brooklyn, and arrested him there last night. He was too drunk to offer any explanation of the affair, but simply said that he was sorry Moher was dead. Deputy Coroner Shine examined Moher's body, which was taken to the Morgue, and said that death resulted from rupture of the intestines. Coroner Woltman will assume charge of the case to-day.

THE NEW-BRUNSWICK CARPET COMPANY.

The committee appointed on behalf of the New-Brunswick, N. J., Carpet Company, which failed last Fall, met the creditors of the Carpet Company yesterday afternoon at the company's office, and offered them forty per cent. on the dollar in cash, to be paid within sixty days from date. A committee of five of the creditors was appointed to act in concert with the stockholders, and meet as soon as possible. The following statement of the Carpet Company was presented:

Receipts	$867,147 00
Disbursements	560,887 74
Difference	$306,259 31
Liabilities (proved claims in the hands of assignee)	$817,000 00
Of the above claim there is unrecognized by the Carpet Company	754,000 00
Leaving actual claims	$63,000 00
Assets	$275,000 00
Liabilities	63,000 00
Total	$212,000 00

HORRIBLE SUICIDE.

The details of the suicide, on Monday, of Martin Esperli, a German butcher-boy employed in the slaughter-house of John Fetter, Rahway, N. J., are unusually revolting. The boy became dissatisfied with the business some weeks ago, and started last week for New-York to look for other work. Nothing more was seen of him until Monday morning, when his body was found, the throat cut from ear to ear, hanging in the slaughter-house from a hook on which a quarter of dressed beef had been hung. A large knife, such as the butchers use in cutting the throats of cattle, was found lying on the floor, and stained with blood. The appearances indicated that he raised himself on a box, which lay overturned near the body, and having adjusted the rope, drew the knife over his throat, and then kicked the box from beneath his feet. No cause is assigned for the act. Deceased had been in the country only about ten months. Coroner Pines has been notified.

THE COMMUNIPAW DROWNING CASE.

Coroner Parslow last evening commenced an inquest over the remains of Louisa S. Mackey, who was drowned at the Central Railroad Pier at Communipaw on Thursday night. Miss A. Bartelle, of New-York, a companion of deceased, who was with her on the night of the accident, testified that she followed deceased off the boat, but did not see her fall. The boat was about three feet from the bridge, and a gang-plank was used to land the passengers. There were no lights or ropes or life-preservers. Four other witnesses were sworn. Their testimony was corroborative of that of Miss Bartelle. The inquest was not concluded.

SUICIDE IN NEWARK.

Charles Schmidt, a respectable laboring man, residing in Newark, N. J., committed suicide last evening in one of the cells in the Newark Police Station. Schmidt had been arrested on suspicion of having been implicated in the recent robberies at the Zinc Works. He was at the time of the arrest bailed by Alderman O'Connor. Last evening his bondsman surrendered him, and he was committed to the cells. In less than an hour afterward, his lifeless body was found dangling from one of the cell bars, suspended by a strap which he had worn around his waist. County Physician Dodd was notified. Deceased leaves a wife and three children.

A VERDICT AGAINST A PUBLISHER.

The libel suit, Alfred Speer, wine manufacturer, against Orvin Vanderhoven, newspaper publisher, both of Passaic, N. J., in the County Court, was given to the jury at 5:30 P. M. last evening. At 10:15 the jury brought in a verdict for $5,000 in favor of plaintiff. The case was seven days on trial.

EUROPEAN MAIL NEWS.

The White Star steam-ship Republic, from Liverpool April 16, and Queenstown April 17, reached this port last evening, bearing mail-news later by three days. The management of the line and the officers of the steamer are once more entitled to our thanks for liberal additions to our foreign files.

ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

Bishop J. J. Williams, of Boston, is at the Astor House.

Col. Charles Heywood, of the United States Marine Corps, is at Barnum's Hotel.

A. L. Wolff, United States Consul at Frankfort-on-the-Main, is at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Lieut. Commander W. M. Folger, United States Navy, and Aristides Welsh, of Philadelphia, are at the Hoffman House.

Ex-State Senator C. H. Adams, of Cohoes, N. Y., and John G. Saville, of Washington, are at the New-York Hotel.

Jerome B. Parmenter, of the Troy *Press*, and R. M. Field, manager of the Boston Museum, are at the Westminster Hotel.

Mr. Brentano (No. 33 Union square) has received all the latest papers and magazines by the foreign mails. The London *Graphic* is always full of first-rate engravings, and the latest number received is particularly good. *Vanity Fair* has been much improved since the beginning of the new series, as anybody may see upon glancing over the numbers at Mr. Brentano's store. The *Pall Mall Budget* is a very convenient publication for all who are interested in English news, and copies of it are received by Mr. Brentano earlier than by anybody else. These and many other publications are always to be found in the well-known store in Union square, and at present there is an unusually good supply of periodicals from all parts of Europe, to say nothing of every American periodical worth keeping.

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THE WEEKLY TIMES.

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- OHIO AND PENNSYLVANIA IRON TRADE.
- THE QUESTION OF POLYGAMY IN CONGRESS.
- THE INTEROCEANIC CANAL.
- THE DEBTS OF THE WEST.
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MARRIED.

BROWN—CLAY.—On Thursday, April 23, 1874, at St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, Newport, Ky., by Rev. Foster Ely, FRANCIS S. BROWN, of this City, to LUCY CLAY, of Cincinnati.

DELAFIELD—HANENKAMP.—At St. Louis, Mo., on Thursday, April 23, at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 911 Garrison av., by Rev. P. G. Robert, Mr. WALLACE DELAFIELD and Miss LIZZIE T. HANENKAMP, daughter of Richard P. Hanenkamp, all of St. Louis.

DIED.

ARCULARIUS.—At Tarrytown, N. Y., on Monday morning, April 27, GRACE STUART CHALMERS, wife of Jas. L. Arcularius.

Funeral services will take place at her late residence, on Thursday, April 30, at 3:30 P. M. Carriages will be in waiting on the arrival of the 2 o'clock train from the Grand Central Depot.

BURK.—On Monday, April 27, SALLY BURK, relict of John Burk, formerly a resident of New-York, in the 77th year of her age.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral on Thursday, the 30th inst., at 10 A. M., at No. 86 South 4th st., Brooklyn, E. D. Interment at West Chester.

CLARKSON.—On Tuesday, 28th inst., MARGARET, wife of the late David Augustus Clarkson, of this City, and daughter of the late Hon. Edward P. Livingston, of Clermont.

The relatives and friends are respectively invited to attend the funeral at the Church of the Incarnation, corner of 35th st. and Madison av., on Friday next at 9:30 A. M.

CLOWES.—In Jersey City, on Tuesday morning, April 28, 1874, JOSEPH CLOWES, in the 66th year of his age.

Funeral services at Grace Church, Van Vorst, on Thursday, the 30th inst., at 3 o'clock.

ELLISON.—Suddenly, on First day, 26th inst., WM. C. ELLISON.

His funeral will take place Wednesday, precisely at 10:30 o'clock A. M., from his late residence, No. 46 East 19th st. Relatives and friends invited to attend without further notice. Interment in Philadelphia.

☞ Washington papers please copy.

FARRIER.—In Jersey City, on Monday, April 27, AMELIA, wife of the late George T. Farrier, aged 66 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral, on Wednesday afternoon, April 29, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her son, George H. Farrier, No. 62 Grand st., Jersey City.

FARRINGTON.—Sunday afternoon, April 26, 1874, EDITH MAY HODGKINS, only child of George B. and Amelia A. Farrington, in the 6th year of her age.

Friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from their residence, No. 602 Henry st., Brooklyn, Wednesday, April 29, at 2 o'clock P. M.

HAWES.—On Tuesday evening, April 28, WILLARD L. HAWES, aged 28.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

LOCKHART.—WILLIAM LOCKHART, veterinary surgeon, in the 48th year of his age.

The funeral will take place from his brother's residence, No. 137 East 53d st., on Thursday morning, 30th inst., at 11 A. M. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

McGUIRE.—On Sabbath, April 26, at No. 454 West 43d st., MARSHALL McGUIRE, aged 33 years.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the above place, this Wednesday, 29th inst., exactly at 1 P. M. The remains will be taken to Bronxville for interment.

☞ Londonderry papers will please copy.

RUGGLES.—At Washington Heights, April 27, JAMES HERMAN, infant child of Henry I. and Maria A. Ruggles.

SMITH.—At Stamford, Conn., Saturday, April 25, SCHUYLER, son of Charles E. and Mary Egerton Smith, in the 30th year of his age.

Funeral services at the residence of his parents, on Wednesday, April 29, at 2 o'clock P. M. Trains leave New-York and New-Haven Railroad Depot at 10:10 A. M. and 12 M. Carriages in waiting at the depot.

WALSH.—At St. Paul, Minn., April 25, MARIAN WALKER, wife of James R. Walsh and daughter of James Moir, of this City.

Funeral from the house of her father, No. 26 West 10th st., on Thursday, 30th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

WARNER.—On Tuesday morning, the 28th inst., HIRAM W. WARNER, in the 66th year of his age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, No. 322 5th av., on Friday afternoon, May 1, at 4 o'clock.

WHITIN.—On Tuesday morning, April 28, infant son of Lewis F. and Lucy M. Whitin.

Whereas, Almighty God, in his Divine wisdom, has seen fit to take from us our esteemed brother, JOHN VERNON HENRY;

Resolved, That we, his brother members of the Delta Chapter of the Delta Phi Fraternity, while submitting to the dispensations of an all-wise Providence, do sincerely mourn the loss of a true and earnest member of our fraternity, and an honest advocate of its interests.

Resolved, That, as a tribute of respect to his memory, the usual badge of mourning be worn for thirty days.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published, and that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

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T. M. CHEESMAN, JR.,
Committee.

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THE REAL ESTATE MARKET.

The attendance at the Exchange yesterday, Tuesday, April 28, was very large, and considerable interest was shown on the part of those present in the auctions of the day. The transactions were numerous, and a large proportion of the real estate offered was disposed of, as will be seen from a review of the proceedings as follows:

A. H. Muller & Son sold the following property: At an executor's sale to close estate of Cassius Darling, deceased, one four-story brown-stone-front house, with lot 25 by 98.9, No. 38 West Thirty-ninth street, south side 385 feet east of Sixth avenue, sold for $36,300, to Thomas Fay; at an executor's sale, to close estate of Timothy Whittemore, deceased, one three-story and attic brick house, with lot 22 by 97, No. 14 West Washington place, north side, between Sixth avenue and Macdougal street, sold for $17,500, to W. S. Jarvis; at an executor's sale, to close estate of M. A. Hoppock, deceased, one four-story brick stable and tenement-house, with lot 25 by 103.3, No. 33 West Thirteenth street, north side, 474.8 feet west of Fifth avenue, sold for $18,050 to W. H. Gebhardt. At public auction, one lot, 24.11 by 100 feet, on the Grand Boulevard, north-east corner of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, sold for $8,800 to D. J. Cooper; one lot, 25 by 100, on the Boulevard, adjoining above, sold for $5,950 to J. R. Brown; one lot, 25 by 100.5, on West Forty-ninth street, north side, 150 feet west of Tenth avenue, sold for $3,800 to D. Hamill; one lot, same size, adjoining, sold for $3,600 to B. McCullough, and two lots on same street, north side, 350 feet west of Tenth avenue, same size as above, sold for $3,500 each to David Christie. The leasehold property No. 34 West Fourteenth street was knocked down for $28,000, and the frame building and lot No. 30 Rose street for $13,900, but neither piece of property sold. The legal sale in charge of the same firm of the plot of land with building on Chambers street, south-west corner of Church street, was adjourned without date.

A. J. Bleecker, Son & White, by order of the Supreme Court, in partition, under the direction of Philo T. Ruggles, Esq., Referee, sold, in one parcel, three four-story brick buildings, with plot of land, 40.5 by 60, on Third avenue, north-west corner of Fifty-ninth street, for $40,650 to Dennis Burke. This same property was sold on the 30th day of October last for $44,500. The same firm also sold at public auction the two-story brick house with lot, 23 by 23.4, No. 111 Roosevelt street, north side, between Cherry and Water streets, for $5,400, to Thomas Dobson. The legal sale of a plot of twelve lots, six each on One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets, respectively, west of Seventh avenue, was adjourned by the same auctioneers to May 12.

Richard V. Harnett sold at public auction the four-story and basement brown-stone-front house, 22 by 45, with lot 75 feet deep, No. 201 West Fifty-sixth street, north side, 78 feet west of Seventh avenue, for $19,000, to E. J. Salmon; also, the four-story English basement brown-stone-front house, 16.6 by 60, with lot 103.3 feet deep, No. 209 East Thirteenth street, north side, 117 feet east of Third avenue, for $16,800, to O. H. Collins. The same auctioneer sold by order of the Supreme Court in foreclosure, E. P. Orrell, Esq., Referee, two lots, each 25 by 119.5, on Arthur street, Fordham, (Twenty-fourth Ward,) for $190 each, to Wm. C. Boyd.

E. A. Lawrence & Co., under a Supreme Court foreclosure decree, Edward D. Gale, Esq., Referee, sold the four-story and basement brown-stone-front house, 16 by 60, with lot 89 feet deep, No. 565 Madison avenue, east side, 63 feet south of Sixty-first street, for $1,000 over and above incumbrances amounting to $26,800, making the total price realized $27,800. The purchaser was John McCool, the owner of a mortgage on the property.

James M. Miller adjourned the legal sale of a brown-stone house and lot on Fifth avenue, east side, 78 feet north of Sixty-second street, to May 12.

Wm. Kennelly also adjourned the legal sale of the premises Nos. 123, 311, and 313 Monroe street to May 13.

Wood, Brady & Todd offered at public auction a lot, 25 by 165, with two two-story buildings thereon, situate on Westchester avenue, south side, 253 feet east of Retreat avenue, at Melrose, (Twenty-third Ward,) which was knocked down for $5,750, but not sold; also, a two-story frame house and lot, adjoining, knocked down for $5,500, but not sold.

Jere. Johnson, Jr., at a special guardian's sale, under the direction of Alfred Roe, Esq., disposed of thirteen lots, situate respectively on Washington avenue, Baltic and Douglass streets, Brooklyn, full particulars concerning the sale of which will be found in the summary annexed. Six lots on Washington avenue, north-east corner of Degraw street, and eleven lots on the north-east corner of Washington avenue and Douglass street, were withdrawn for the want of adequate bids. Mr. Johnson, at public auction, also knocked down four lots, each 22 by 131, situate on Baltic street, Brooklyn, south side, 319 feet east of Washington avenue, to W. H. Rooney, for $975 each. The legal sale, by the same auctioneer, of a house and lot on West Thirty-eighth street, this City, west of Tenth avenue, was adjourned to May 5.

John H. Wilson, at public auction, knocked down eight two-story and basement frame houses, with lots each 16.7 by 100, situate on Middleton street, Brooklyn, south side, between Lee and Marcy avenues, at prices ranging from $3,300 to $3,490 apiece. The details of the sale will be found appended. The auctioneer claims to have sold this property, and we therefore give him the benefit of the report.

The property located at Edgewater, Staten Island, billed for sale by E. H. Ludlow & Co., was withdrawn without any bids received. No further business was transacted.

The fact that the great sale of the Mott estate, A. J. Bleecker, Son & White, auctioneers, takes place at the Exchange to-morrow, should not be forgotten.

TO-DAY'S AUCTIONS.

The sales to occur at the Exchange to-day are as follows:

By V. K. Stevenson, Jr., Trustee's sale, under the direction of J. Van Wagenen, Esq., of the valuable four-story and basement brown-stone-front house, 25 by 65, with lot 100 feet deep, No. 675 Fifth avenue, east side, 25.5 feet north of Fifty-third street. This house, we are authorized to state, will be positively sold without reserve to the highest bidder. Also, public auction sale of the desirable four-story and basement brown-stone-front house, 22 by 63, with lot 100.5 feet deep, No. 49 West Fifty-second street, north side, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

By Dingee, Porter & Co., Supreme Court foreclosure sale, Thomas H. Landon, Esq., Referee, of a plot of land 46 by 93.10, with two four-story and one three-story brick factories and other buildings thereon, situate on Avenue A, west side, 23 feet north of Nineteenth street.

By A. H. Muller & Son, Supreme Court foreclosure sale, Meyer S. Isaacs, Esq., Referee, of a plot of land 72 by 100, with brick buildings thereon, on Crosby street, east side, 42 feet south of Spring street.

By Hugh N. Camp, Supreme Court foreclosure sale, Jas. H. Gilbert, Esq., Referee, of a house, with lot 22 by 93.2, on Eleventh street, north side, 66 feet west of West Washington street.

By E. H. Ludlow & Co., executor's sale to close estate of Robert H. Pearson, deceased, of the following leasehold property: Barclay street—The lease of the lot with the five-story basement and sub-cellar brown-stone store, No. 29 Barclay street; lot 27.7 by 114.7 feet, leased from Columbia College twenty-one years from May 1, 1874, with two renewals of twenty-one years each, ground rent $1,793 per annum and taxes. Warren street—The lease of the lot with five-story basement and sub-cellar and marble-front store, No. 45 Warren street; lot 25 by 75 feet, leased from Trinity Church, twenty-one years from May 1, 1873, with two renewals of twenty-one years each, ground rent $1,500 per annum and taxes.

EXCHANGE SALES—TUESDAY, APRIL 28.

NEW-YORK.

By A. H. Muller & Son.

1 four-story brown-stone front house and lot, No. 38 West 39th st., s. s., 385 ft. e. of 6th av., lot 25x98.9	$36,300
1 three-story and attic brick house and lot, No. 14 West Washington place, n. s., between 6th av. and Macdougal st., lot 22x97	17,500
1 four-story brick stable tenement and lot, No. 33 West 13th st., n. s., 474.8 ft. w. of 5th av., lot 25x103.3	18,050
1 lot, Grand Boulevard, n. e. corner of 151st st., 24.11x100	8,800
1 lot, Grand Boulevard, e. s., 24.11 ft. n. of 151st st., adjoining above, 25x100	5,950
1 lot, West 49th st., n. s., 150 ft. w. of 10th av., 25x100.5	3,800
1 lot, West 49th st., n. s., 175 ft. w. of 10th av., adjoining above, same size	3,600
2 lots, West 49th st., n. s., 350 ft. w. of 10th av., each 25x100.5, $3,500 each	7,000

By A. J. Bleecker, Son & White.

3 four-story brick houses, and plot, 3d av., n. w. corner of 59th st., plot 40.5x60	$40,650
1 two-story brick house, and lot, No. 111 Roosevelt st., n. s., between Cherry and Water sts., 23x23.4	5,400

By Richard V. Harnett.

1 four-story and basement brown-stone front house and lot, No. 201 West 56th st., n. s., 78 ft. n. of 7th av., lot 22x75, house 45 ft. deep.	$19,000
1 four-story English basement brown-stone front house and lot, No. 209 East 13th st., n. s., 117 ft. e. of 3d av., lot 16.6x103.3, house 60 ft. deep	16,800
2 lots, Arthur st., n. s., Fordham, (24th Ward,) each 25x119.5, $190 each	380

By E. A. Lawrence & Co.

1 four-story and basement house and lot, No. 565 Madison av., e. s., 63 ft. s. of 61st st., lot 16x89, house 60 ft. deep	$27,800

BROOKLYN.

By Jere. Johnson, Jr.

2 two-story houses and basement and lots Douglass st., s. s., 100 ft. w. of Classon av., each 20x162; W. A. Coit, $1,125 each	$2,250
1 lot, Douglass st., s. s., 140 ft. w. of Classon av., adjoining above, 35x162; E. F. Brown	1,300
1 lot, Douglass st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of Classon av., 25x131; E. F. Brown	975
2 lots, Douglass st., n. s., 125 ft. w. of Classon av., adjoining above, each same size; same buyer, $1,000 each	2,000
1 lot, Douglass st., n. s., 175 ft. w. of Classon av., adjoining above, same size; Cornelius Cozine	1,100
1 lot, Douglass st., n. s., 200 ft. w. of Classon av., adjoining above, same size; Alfred Watts	1,150
1 lot, Douglass st., n. s., 225 ft. w. of Classon av., adjoining above, same size; same buyer	1,200
1 lot, Douglass st., n. s., 250 ft. w. of Classon av., adjoining above, same size; same buyer	1,175
1 lot, Washington av., e. s., 120 ft. n. of Butler st., 25x about 110; A. J. Watts	1,375
1 lot, Baltic st., s. e. corner of Washington av., 25x about 100; John J. Macklin	1,525
1 lot, Baltic st., s. s., 25 ft. e. of Washington av., adjoining above, 25x102.2; same buyer as above	1,325

By John H. Wilson.

1 two-story and basement frame house and lot, Middleton st., s. s., 113.9 ft. e. of Lee av., lot 16.7x100; E. S. Brainerd	$3,490
1 similar house and lot, Middleton st., s. s., adjoining above; same buyer	3,390
1 similar house and lot, Middleton st., s. s., adjoining above; A. F. Seaman	3,440
1 similar house and lot, Middleton st., s. s., adjoining above; E. S. Brainerd	3,300
1 similar house and lot, Middleton st., s. s., adjoining above; A. F. Seaman	3,390
1 similar house and lot, Middleton st., s. s., next but one adjoining above; E. S. Brainerd	3,490
1 similar house and lot, Middleton st., s. s., adjoining above; same buyer	3,315
1 similar house and lot, Middleton st., s. s., adjoining above; John Keating	3,340

RECORDED REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

NEW-YORK.

Monday, April 27.

Barrow st., No. 97, s. s., 82 ft. w. of Hudson st., 18x50	$10,900
Cliff st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of Concord av., 28.4x101.2, Morrisania	800
Dey st., No. 13, 24x90	25,000
Irving place, e. w. corner 17th st., 19x60	816
Same property	19,684
Laight st., Nos. 70 and 72, n. s., 42.6 ft. e. of Washington st., 42.7x60, small piece off s. w. corner, rear, 4x3.7	20,000
Prospect place, e. s., 83.9 ft. s. of 43d st., 16.8x58	16,000
10th st., n. s., 52.2 ft. e. of 6th av., 19x46	12,000
13th st., n. s., 377.6 ft. w. of 2d av., 16.6x103.3	17,250
15th st., No. 304 East, s. s., 52.8 ft. e. of 2d av., 22.1x128.3	30,000
27th st., s. s., 290.6 ft. e. of 9th av., 16.6x98.9	12,750
28th st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 6th av., 25x98.9	30,000
33d st., n. s., 100 ft. e. of 2d av., 15x98.9; 33d st., n. s., 259 ft. e. of 2d av., 16x98.9	14,500
33d st., n. s., 180 ft. e. of 8th av., 20x113; also, strip adjoining on w. s., 98.9 ft. n. of 33d st., 6.6x14.3	12,000
60th st., n. s., 135 ft. w. of 2d av., 20x100.5	21,500
60th st., n. s., 100 ft. e. of 4th av., 20x100.5	29,000
74th st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of Avenue A, 25x36.2	2,000
76th st., n. s., 163 ft. e. of 1st av., 20x102.2	6,000
78th st., s. s., 278 ft. e. of 3d av., 13.4x102.2	8,500
121st st., n. s., 278.7 ft. w. of Avenue A, 17.10x100.11	15,600
123d st., s. s., 139.11 ft. w. of 6th av. widening, 160.1x100.11	180,176
125th st., n. s., 240 ft. w. of 4th av., 18.8x99.11	15,000
Adams av., Lot No. 8, map Belmont, 100x100, e. corner Columbia av.	900
Elm av., s. w. s., Lots Nos. 21, 22, and 23, South Belmont, West Farms, 150x100	1,150
Lexington av., n. e. corner, 57th st., 20.5x66	28,000
Lexington av., w. s., 75.5 ft. s. of 56th st., 25x90	40,000
8th av., e. s., 25.5 ft. e. of 56th st., 75x100; 56th st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 8th av., 20x100.5	77,500

Leasehold Conveyances.

8th av., s. w. corner 46th st., 25.1x75	$35,000
8th av., w. s., 25.1 ft. s. of 46th st., 25.1x75	25,000
8th av., w. s., 50.2 ft. s. of 46th st., 25.1x75	25,000
8th av., w. s., 75.4 ft. s. of 46th st., 25.1x75	25,000

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REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

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ESTATE OF DR. VALENTINE MOTT.

REFEREES' AND EXECUTORS' SALE OF

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LOTS, GORES, AND WATER FRONTS AT AUCTION.

A. J. BLEECKER, SON & WHITE will sell at auction, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, (Trinity Building,) New-York, on THURSDAY, the 30th of April, at 12 o'clock, the following valuable property, the estate of the late Dr. VALENTINE MOTT, viz.:

RIVERSIDE BOULEVARD AND RIVERSIDE PARK—Nineteen lots on Boulevard, fronting Riverside Park, between 93d and 96th sts., including five corner lots on 94th, 95th, and 96th sts., and mansion on 94th st.

NINETY-FOURTH STREET—Thirty-one lots on both sides of 94th st., between the Riverside Boulevard and 11th or West End av.

NINETY-FIFTH STREET—Thirty-five lots on both sides of 95th st., between said Boulevard and avenue.

NINETY-SIXTH STREET—Thirteen lots on the south side of 95th st., (which is 100 feet wide,) between said avenue and Boulevard.

ELEVENTH OR WEST END AVENUE—Twenty-two lots and gores on both sides of West End av., including the corners of 93d and 94th sts.

NINETY-THIRD STREET—Ten lots and gores on both sides of 93d st., between West End and Grand Broadway Boulevards.

NINETY-FOURTH STREET—Ten lots and gores on both sides of 94th st., between West End and Grand Broadway Boulevards.

GRAND BROADWAY BOULEVARD—Twenty-three lots and gores on both sides of Grand Broadway Boulevard, including the corners of 93d and 94th sts.

NINETY-THIRD AND NINETY-FOURTH STREETS—Four lots and gores on said streets, between Grand Broadway Boulevard and Old Bloomingdale Road.

On the above lots are various buildings, comprising dwelling-house, cottage, barns, greenhouses, &c., &c.

WATER-FRONTS—Nineteen water-fronts on the 12th av., Hudson River, in front of the Riverside Park, and between 93d and 96th sts. The water grant was made to Dr. Mott by the City of New-York in 1852.

Also, the valuable and desirable marble store, No. 25 Park place, 37.11 feet front on Park place by about 150 feet deep, running through to Murray st.

Also, a lot of land on the corner of Montgomery st. and Albany av., in the Ninth Ward of the City of Brooklyn, 63.9x104.10 feet.

The usual executors' and Referees' deed will be given, and SEVENTY PER CENT. OF THE PURCHASE MONEY can remain on mortgage at seven per cent. for a term of years.

THE SALE IS PEREMPTORY,

and made by virtue of a judgment of the Supreme Court, directing the same through its Referees, and by the executors as such under the last will of the late Valentine Mott. HENRY A. MOTT, JOHN CHETWOOD, } Executors and Referees. JAS. McQUADE, Referee.

T. WILBUR BURD, Attorney for plaintiff.

Maps at auctioneer's office, No. 35 Pine st.; also, at office of the estate, No. 71 Broadway, Room No. 82; of JOHN CHETWOOD, No. 74 Broadway, and of JAMES McQUADE, No. 52 Broad st.

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On TUESDAY, May 5, 1874, at 12 o'clock noon, by virtue of an order of sale in the partition suit, Nicklin vs. O'Brien, District Court, will be sold at public sale, without reserve, at the Philadelphia Exchange.

The above is a very valuable property, and from its location affords a fine opportunity for capitalists and builders, being near League Island, on which the Government is now erecting a NAVAL DEPOT. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company now run their road to the River Delaware through this estate.

The terms of sale are, $50 to be paid on each lot at the time of sale. One-half of purchase money in ten days from sale; and one-half may remain upon bond and mortgage of the purchaser in the usual form, payable one year from date.

☞ A lithographic plan of the property may be had at the auction-rooms.

For further particulars apply to E. COPPEE MITCHELL, Esq., attorney, Office No. 518 Walnut st.

By order of WILLIAM ELLIOTT, Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Philadelphia.

M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers, Nos. 139 and 141, South 4th st., Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, April, 1874.

JOHN H. WILSON, Auctioneer.

BY V. K. STEVENSON, JR.,

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29,

at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway.

BY ORDER OF J. VAN WAGENEN, Esq.,

TRUSTEE,

NO. 675 5TH AV.,

Adjoining north-east corner of 53d st., and opposite St. Thomas' Church.

Four-story high-stoop well-proportioned first-class brown-stone dwelling, 25x65, lot 100 feet. This extra valuable property is situate in one of the most select, elegant neighborhoods in the City, and the avenue and streets adjoining are now elegantly improved with superb structures. The lot is in fee simple, and the dwelling and appurtenances all strictly first class. Possession May 1. Terms easy. For permits and particulars apply to J. VAN WAGENEN, Trustee, No. 70 Gold st., or to V. K. STEVENSON, Jr., auctioneer, No. 11 Pine st., New-York.

N. B.—The trustee authorizes me to state that the auction sale of the above valuable property will be positive and peremptory, WITHOUT RESERVE to the HIGHEST BIDDER. V. K. STEVENSON, Jr.

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NO. 49 WEST 52D ST.,

North side, near 5th av., in fee simple, elegantly planned, thoroughly built, (by Donnelly,) modern four-story high-stoop brown-stone dwelling, 22x63, lot 100.5, containing all the newest finish and conveniences; in thorough order throughout. This elegant residence is situate in one of the very best cross streets, convenient to Central Park, surrounded, as it is, by improvements of the highest order. Possession in May. Apply to V. K. STEVENSON, Jr., No. 11 Pine st.

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TO CAPITALISTS AND MANUFACTURERS.
ASSIGNEE'S PEREMPTORY SALE
ESTATE OF A. SEIBERLICH, DECEASED.

Large and valuable BUILDINGS with steam-power, Nos. 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, and 228 Carter's alley and Exchange place, between 2d and 3d, and south of Chestnut st., on TUESDAY, May 12, 1874, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold at public sale at the PHILADELPHIA EXCHANGE.

Terms, $30,000 may remain on mortgage.

The above property will be sold together as one, according to a survey, which may be seen at the auction-rooms; the rooms now occupied command a rent of $10,100; several rooms are now vacant, and are for rent with the steam-power; sale absolute.

By order of SAMUEL BAUGH, Assignee, No. 129 South 2d st.

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PHILADELPHIA, April, 1874.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY.—A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer, will sell at auction on THURSDAY, May 21, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Exchange Sales-rooms, No. 111 Broadway, the following desirable improved property:

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No. 35 Murray st., running through to No. 60 Church st., forming an L; lot and superior five-story store, with basement and subcellar covering the entire lot. For maps and particulars inquire at the office of the auctioneer, No. 35 Pine st., or of IRA O. MILLER, No. 160 Fulton st.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29,

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SPLENDID OFFICES, in the NEW UNION BUILDING, No. 54 WILLIAM ST., adjoining New-York Bank.

Apply in the building to W. GOUVERNEUR, Or to the JANITOR, FIFTH STORY.

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George Opdyke & Co., Bankers, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York, like an incorporated Bank, receive deposits subject to check at sight, with the additional advantage to Depositors of Interest on daily Balances.

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Transact a general Banking business, (checks pass through Bank Clearing-house,) allow interest on Balances, issue Certificates of Deposit, draw Sight Exchange and make Telegraphic Transfers, pay coupons for Municipal and other Corporations, and keep Books of Registry and Transfer. Orders executed at Gold and Stock Exchanges for cash only.

TO INVESTORS.

7 PER CENT. CROTON WATER STOCKS OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, DUE 1900.

GEO. K. SISTARE, NO. 24 NASSAU ST.

Total debt of the City, $110,000,000; value of property owned by the City, $243,985,499.

"The grand result is, that, while the City and County are burdened, in great part by the manipulations of the 'Ring,' with a debt of great magnitude, yet their resources, in property immediately available to creditors, vastly exceed their liabilities, and render their bonds a security unsurpassed in merit for investment.—*New-York Evening Post, April 27.*

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STOCKS, BONDS, GOVERNMENT SECURITIES, AND GOLD BOUGHT AND SOLD ON COMMISSION. INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

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Execute orders for STOCKS, BONDS, and GOLD, allow interest on DEPOSITS, and transact a general Banking and Brokerage business.

NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD COMPANY.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual election for thirteen Directors of this Company will be held at the office of the Company, Grand Central Depot, New-York City, on TUESDAY, the 19th day of May, 1874. The polls will be open from 12 o'clock noon, until 2 o'clock P. M. of that day. The transfer-books will be closed from 3 P. M. of the 2d of May until 9 o'clock A. M. of the 20th of May.

ROBERT J. NIVEN, Secretary.

NEW-YORK, April 25, 1874.

CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY OF NEW-JERSEY,

CONVERTIBLE BONDS, DUE 1902, FOR SALE AT PAR AND ACCRUED INTEREST. Apply to SAMUEL KNOX, Treasurer, No. 119 Liberty st.

COMMERCIAL WAREHOUSE COMPANY. Cash capital, $2,000,000. Office, No. 29 William st., corner Exchange place. Warehouses, Atlantic Dock, Brooklyn. Cash advances made on first-class securities on demand and time. Cash advances made on all kinds of merchandise stored in our own warehouses, or consigned to us, on favorable terms.

PAUL J. ARMOUR, President; JOSE F. NAVARRO, Vice President; JOHN BAIRD, Second Vice President; FELICIANO LATASA, Third Vice President.

Paul J. Armour, Wm. D. Bowerman, C. H. Delamater, José F. Navarro, Feliciano Latasa, Juan J. Jova, John Baird, Thomas Murphy, Henry B. Hyde.

WILLIAM TOBIN, Superintendent of Warehouses. JAMES CLYNE, Secretary.

EVANSVILLE AND CRAWFORDSVILLE RAILROAD COMPANY.—Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, No. 26 Exchange place, New-York, for the sale to the Trustees of twenty-four (24) bonds of the May and November issue.

Proposals should be directed to R. G. Rolston, President, No. 26 Exchange place, and must be presented before 12 o'clock M. on the 1st proximo.—New-York, April 23, 1874. R. G. ROLSTON, President of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company Trustees.

OFFICE DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL COMPANY, NEW-YORK, April 8, 1874.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of this company, for the election of managers and for other business will be held at the office of the company No. 71 Broadway, on Tuesday, 12th of May next.

The polls will be open from 12 noon until 2 o'clock P. M.

The transfer-books will be closed from the evening of April 30 until the morning of May 13. By order of the board. JAMES C. HARTT, Treasurer.

BROOKLYN TRUST COMPANY, BROOKLYN, N. Y., April 23, 1874.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Brooklyn Trust Company for the election of six Trustees, to take the places of those whose terms of office will then expire, and of three inspectors of the next election, will be held at the offices of the company, corner of Clinton and Montague sts., on MONDAY, the 4th day of May, 1874, between the hours of 8 and 10 A. M. WM. R. BUNKER, Secretary.

MANUFACTURERS' AND BUILDERS' BANK, 3D AV. AND 57TH ST., NEW-YORK, April 24, 1874.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of this bank for the election of Directors and three Inspectors of Election for the ensuing year will be held at the banking rooms, on Tuesday the 12th day of May, next. The polls will be open from 12 M. until 2 o'clock P. M. By order of the Board.

C. A. WATERBURY, Cashier.

NEW-YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY, TREASURER'S OFFICE, GRAND CENTRAL DEPOT, 25th April, 1874.

THE STOCK TRANSFER-BOOKS OF THIS company will be closed at the close of business on SATURDAY, the 2d day of May next, (preparatory to the annual election for Directors,) and will be reopened on the morning of THURSDAY, the 4th day of June next. C. C. CLARKE, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, NO. 52 WALL ST., NEW-YORK, April 23, 1874.

FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE ANNUAL election on the 4th of June next, the transfer-books of this company will be close on the 29th inst., and will reopen on SATURDAY, June 6, at 10 A. M.

M. L. SYKES, Jr., Secretary.

FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS BOUGHT AND sold by WM. C. GILMAN, No. 46 Pine st.

FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS BOUGHT AND sold by E. S. BAILEY, No. 65 Wall st.

FINANCIAL.

NORTH BRITISH

AND MERCANTILE INS. CO. OF LONDON AND EDINBURGH, G. B.

REMOVAL.

BRANCH OFFICE for the United States to

NO. 54 WILLIAM, CORNER PINE ST., N. Y.

Paid up and subscribed Capital	$10,000,000
Fire Reserve and Surplus	3,700,000
Life Assets and Annuities	12,750,000
Cash Assets held by United States Branch	1,600,000

Fire and Life assets are entirely distinct, and one not liable for the other.

DIRECTORS IN NEW-YORK.

SOLON HUMPHREYS, Esq., Chairman, of E. D. Morgan & Co.
EGISTO P. FABBRI, Esq., of Fabbri & Chauncey.
DAVID DOWS, Esq., of David Dows & Co.
S. B. CHITTENDEN, Esq., of S. B. Chittenden & Co.
CHAS. H. DABNEY, Esq., of late Dabney, Morgan & Co.
THEO. ROOSEVELT, Esq., of Roosevelt & Son.
EZRA WHITE.

Messrs. DREXEL, MORGAN & CO., Bankers.

EZRA WHITE, CHAS. E. WHITE, SAM. P. BLAGDEN, } Managers.

TO THE

N. Y. and Oswego Midland Railroad

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDHOLDERS.

Report and papers to sign are now ready at the office of ALLEN, STEPHENS & CO., No. 25 Pine st. Bondholders are requested to send for or call and obtain the same.

D. B. HALSTEAD, GERRIT H. SMITH, H. BLENNERHASSETT, } Of Com. of First Mortgage Bondholders.

COUNTIES, CITIES, AND STATES DESIRING to consolidate their debts and to obtain funds on new loans, can make exceedingly favorable arrangements by addressing FINANCIER, Post Office Box No. 3,949, New-York.

HANNIBAL AND ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD COMPANY.

Sealed proposals addressed to Wm. H. Swift, Esq., at Messrs. Ward, Campbell & Co.'s, No. 56 Wall st., New-York, or to the undersigned Trustees, care of Charles Merriam, Agent, No. 26 Sear's Building, Boston, will be received until FRIDAY, May 8, 1874, at noon, for the sale of $50,000 of the Land Bonds of said Company to the undersigned Trustees, in accordance with the provisions of the indenture of mortgage, dated April 1, 1863.

The bids will be opened in Boston, on Saturday, May 9, 1874, and the accepted bids declared.

WILLIAM H. SWIFT, SIDNEY BARTLETT, NATHANIEL THAYER, } Trustees.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO., NO. 59 WALL ST., ISSUE COMMERCIAL and TRAVELERS' CREDITS AVAILABLE in all PARTS of the WORLD.

OFFICE OF GREENLEAF, NORRIS & CO., No. 66 EXCHANGE PLACE, NEW-YORK, April 28, 1874.

IMPORTANT TO HOLDERS OF FIRST Mortgage Bonds of the New-Jersey Southern Railroad Company.

The Court of Chancery of New-Jersey having put the Trustees of the First Mortgage into full possession of the line, the holders of said bonds are requested to communicate with the undersigned immediately in reference to their interests.

GREENLEAF, NORRIS & CO., No. 66 Exchange place.

ELECTION.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an election will be held at the office of the New-York Bridge Company, No. 21 Water st., in the City of Brooklyn, on MONDAY, the 1st day of June next, at 12 o'clock noon, for fifteen Directors of said company, for the then ensuing year, and for two Inspectors of Election for 1875. The transfer-books will be closed from May 2 to June 2, 1874.—Dated April 28, 1874.

JEREMIAH P. ROBINSON, President.

O. P. QUINTARD, Secretary.

BANK OF AMERICA.—THE STOCKHOLDERS of the Bank of America are hereby notified that the annual election of Directors will be held at the banking-house on MONDAY, the 4th day of May next. The poll will open at 1 o'clock and close at 2 o'clock P. M. The transfer-books will remain closed from the morning of April 23 until the morning of May 5, 1874.

ROBERT JAFFRAY, Cashier.

THE HOLDERS OF THE BONDS SECURED by the first mortgage of the Western Division of the Toledo, Peoria, and Warsaw Railroad Company are informed that the coupons of such bonds, which matured Feb. 1, 1874, will be purchased at their face value by the subscriber, on presentation to him, on and after April 20, inst., at No. 31 Nassau st., New-York.

L. V. F. RANDOLPH.

SOUTH-SIDE RAILROAD FIRST MORTGAGE bonds bought by BOUND & CO., No. 52 Wall st.

PROPOSALS.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

Sealed proposals will be received by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, at the hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm sts., until MONDAY, the 4th day of May, 1874, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for fitting up the premises No. 93 Attorney st. for school purposes.

Proposals will also be received at the time and place above named for the furniture required, including desks, seats, &c.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand st., third floor.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this City, will be required from the successful bidders; proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named.

The name of the party or firm submitting a proposal must be indorsed on the outside of the envelope containing said proposal.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

FREDERICK GERMANN, FRANCIS COAN, FREDERICK HOLSTEN, ANDREW J. CASE, N. S. ROBERTS, M. D., } Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.

Dated NEW-YORK, April 20, 1874.

BOARD OF EDUCATION. THIRD WARD.

Sealed proposals will be received by the School Trustees of the Third Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm sts., until TUESDAY, the 5th day of May, 1874, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for fitting up the premises No. 67 Warren st. for school purposes.

Proposals will also be received, at the time and place above named, for the furniture required, including desks, seats, &c.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand st., third floor.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this City, will be required from the successful bidders; proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named.

The name of the party or firm submitting a proposal must be indorsed on the outside of the envelope containing said proposal.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted. JOHN A. GILMOUR, GEORGE ROSSITER, FRANCIS F. FELLERS, DAVID HOLLIS, GEORGE WOLF, Board of School Trustees, Third Ward.

Dated NEW-YORK, April 21, 1874.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT OF THE ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY, Purchasing Agent's Office, No. 309 West 23d st., NEW-YORK, April 24, 1874.

SEALED PROPOSALS AND INDORSED "PROposals for Scrap Metal" will be received at this office until SATURDAY, May 2, 1874, 12 o'clock noon, for the purchase and removal of the following-described lots of scrap iron and steel, bowling tires and steel tires:

	Old Wheels and Axles.	Wrot. Scrap.	Cast Scrap.
Jersey City	870 tons.	272 tons.	201½ tons.
Port Jervis	10 tons.	122½ tons.	119¾ tons.
Susquehanna	590 tons.	600 tons.	300 tons.
Elmira	500 tons.	44 tons.	
Hornellsville	450 tons.	78 tons.	88 tons.
Buffalo	630 tons.	162 tons.	128 tons.

Also, at Jersey City, Susquehanna, Hornellsville, and Buffalo Shops, 100 tons bowling tires, and 20 tons steel tires. Successful bidders will be required to deposit fifteen per cent. of the amount awarded to them at the time of such award, and the balance, eighty-five per cent., will be payable at the time and place of delivery. This company reserves to itself the right to reject any and all bids. H. BOWMAN, General Purchasing Agent pro tem.

OFFICE OF ACTING COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, FORT COLUMBUS, NEW-YORK HARBOR, April 25, 1874.

SEALED PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE, WILL be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., May 25, 1874, for furnishing the FRESH BEEF required by the Subsistence Department, United States Army, at this station and New-York City, during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1874. Information as to conditions, quality of beef, payments, &c., can be obtained by application to R. G. RUTHERFORD, First Lieutenant Twelfth Infantry, Acting Commissary of Subsistence.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE, THIRD STORY, UNION BANK BUILDING, FAYETTE, NEAR CHARLES ST., BALTIMORE, Md., April 27, 1874.

PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING IN NANSEMOND River, Va., near Suffolk, will be received until noon of May 27, 1874, and opened immediately thereafter.

Blank forms, specifications, and any desired information, can be had on application at this office.

WM. P. CRAIGHILL, Major of Engineers, U. S. A.

OFFICE OF THE ACTING COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, WEST POINT, N. Y., April 25, 1874.

PROPOSALS, IN DUPLICATE, WILL BE REceived until 12 M. on the 25th day of May, 1874, for all the fresh beef that may be required by the Subsistence Department at this post during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1875.

Information and conditions obtained of J. M. MARSHALL, First Lieutenant Fourth Artillery, A. C. S.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GRANite for Bulkhead or River Wall.—Sealed proposals for the above material will be received at the office of the Department of Docks until 11 o'clock A. M. of Monday, May 11, 1874. For full information see the *City Record*; copies for sale No. 2 City Hall.

LOST AND FOUND.

$500 REWARD.—LOST OR STOLEN—A MOrocco pocket MEMORANDUM BOOK, with $5,200 in bills, and some other papers. The above reward will be paid upon return of the money, and no questions asked. B. SIHRISCH, Nos. 114 Rivington st., and 76 St. Mark's place.

LOST—ONE HUNDRED SHARES UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD STOCK; certificate No. 25,574, in name of CLOSSON & HAYS; transfer has been stopped. The finder will receive a suitable reward upon the return of the stock to W. T. HATCH & SON, No. 34 Wall st.

TEACHERS.

PRIVATE TEACHER—TEN YEARS' EXPERIence—desires pupils. Address CONSTANT, No. 101 East 25th st.

DIVIDENDS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD COMPANY, OFFICE, No. 227 SOUTH 4TH ST., PHILADELPHIA, March 25, 1874.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The transfer-books of this company will be closed on the 31st inst., and reopened on MONDAY, April 13, next.

A quarterly dividend of TWO AND A HALF PER CENT. has been declared on the preferred and common stock, clear of all taxes, payable in cash, on and after the 24th of April next, to the holders thereof, as they shall stand registered on the books of the company at the close of business on the 31st inst.

All dividends payable at this office, where blank orders for dividends can be obtained.

S. BRADFORD, Treasurer.

COUPON NOTICE.

FLINT AND PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY, OF MICHIGAN.

The coupons maturing May 1, 1874, on the consolidated sinking fund bonds of this road, will be paid on presentation at the Merchant's Exchange National Bank, New-York, on and after that date.

The bonds given for lease of the Flint and Holly Road, which mature in 1874, and the coupons on that issue of bonds, falling due May 1, will be paid on presentation at the Mechanics' National Bank, No. 33 Wall st.

H. C. POTTER, Treasurer.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., April 24, 1874.

OFFICE OF UNITED STATES EXPRESS COMPANY, No. 82 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, April 15, 1874.

THE DIRECTORS OF THE UNITED STATES Express Company have declared a Quarterly Dividend of Two (2) Dollars per Share, payable at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co., No. 65 Broadway, New-York, on and after May 1. prox.

The transfer-books will close, at the Union Trust Company of New-York, at 2 o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 20th inst., and remain closed until Saturday, May 2.

GEO. G. FARNHAM, Treasurer.

CEDAR RAPIDS AND MISSOURI RIVER RAILROAD, TREASURER'S OFFICE, No. 114 STATE ST., BOSTON.

A DIVIDEND OF $2 PER SHARE ON THE COMmon stock of said company has been declared payable at this office on the 1st day of May next, to stockholders of record at the close of business April 20 instant.

The coupons due May 1 will be paid as heretofore by the National Park Bank of New-York.

JOHN M. GLIDDEN, Treasurer.

IOWA RAILROAD LAND COMPANY, TREASURER'S OFFICE, BOSTON, April 25, 1874.

A DIVIDEND OF $1 50 PER SHARE ON THE CAPital stock of this company (The Land Department of the Cedar Rapids and Missouri River Railroad Company) has been declared payable at this office on the 1st day of May, 1874, to stockholders of record at the close of business April 25.

JOHN M. GLIDDEN, Treasurer.

COUPONS DUE MAY 1 ON BONDS OF THE Lamoille Valley, Montpelier, and St. Johnsbury and Essex County Railroad Companies, composing the Vermont Division of the Portland and Ogdensburg Railroad line, will be paid in gold at the FIRST NATIONAL BANK, BOSTON, and at the office of FAIRBANKS & CO., No. 311 Broadway, New York. Interest on Registered Bonds will be paid in Boston only.

NOTICE.

The scrip coupon due May 1, 1874, on the gold scrip of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Minnesota Railway Company, will be paid on presentation at the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, in the City of New-York, from and after that date. JOHN F. ELY, Treasurer of Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Minnesota Railway Company.

COMMERCIAL WAREHOUSE COMPANY OF NEW-YORK, No. 29 WILLIAM ST., NEW-YORK, April 13, 1874.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE THIS day declared a quarterly dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. on the capital stock of the company, payable on and after May 1.

The transfer-books will be closed from April 30 until May 2. JAMES CLYNE, Secretary.

THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK, NEW-YORK, April 21, 1874.

A DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER CENT., FREE of taxes, has been declared on the capital of this bank, payable on and after May 1. The transfer-books will be closed from this date, and reopen on the 2d May.

E. WILLSON, Cashier.

TOLEDO, WABASH AND WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, No. 13 WILLIAM ST., NEW-YORK, April 28, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Coupons of the Bonds of this Company due May 1 will be paid on presentation at the Metropolitan National Bank on and after that date.

J. D. COX, President.

LANSING, Mich., April 25, 1874.

THE INTEREST ON THE WAR BOUNTY LOAN bonds issued by the State of Michigan, maturing on May 1, 1874, will be paid on that day at the American Exchange National Bank, in the City of New-York.

V. P. COLLIER, State Treasurer.

THE MAY COUPONS OF THE REAL ESTATE mortgage bonds negotiated and guaranteed by the Equitable Trust Company, will be paid on and after the 1st day of May next, at the New-York office of the company, No. 52 William st.

JONATHAN EDWARDS, President.

MECHANICS' AND TRADERS' NATIONAL BANK, CORNER BOWERY AND BROOME ST., NEW-YORK, April 18, 1874.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT. ON the capital stock of this bank has been declared, payable free of Government tax on and after the 1st day of May next.

Transfer-books will be closed from the 20th inst.

GEO. W. YOULE, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE FARMERS' LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY, No. 26 EXCHANGE PLACE, CORNER WILLIAM ST., NEW-YORK, April 23, 1874.

THE USUAL QUARTERLY DIVIDEND OF Three per Cent. on the capital stock of this company has been declared, payable on May 1. The transfer books will be closed until that date.

GEO. P. FITCH, Secretary.

AGENCY OF ST. LOUIS AND IRON MOUNTAIN RAILROAD COMPANY, NEW-YORK, April 16, 1874.

THE COUPONS DUE MAY 1, 1874, FROM Second Mortgage Bonds of St. L. and I. M. R. R. Co. will be paid in gold on and after that day at the company's agency, No. 120 Broadway.

H. G. MARQUAND, Vice President.

THE NATIONAL MECHANICS' BANKING ASSOCIATION OF NEW-YORK, NEW-YORK, April 28, 1874.

THE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared a Dividend of Four per Cent., payable to stockholders, on and after the 1st day of May next. The transfer-books will be closed from this date to May 1. M. F. READING, Cashier.

UNION NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, NEW-YORK, April 27, 1874.

DIVIDEND.—A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PER CENT., free of taxation, has been declared by this bank from the earnings of the last six months, payable on the 1st day of May next. JAS. M. LEWIS, Cashier.

MERCANTILE NATIONAL BANK, NEW-YORK April 18, 1874.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE (5) PER CENT. ON the capital stock of this bank has been declared payable to shareholders on and after the first day of May next. N. AMERMAN, Cashier.

PACIFIC BANK, NEW-YORK, April 21, 1874.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE THIS day declared a Quarterly Dividend of Three per Cent., payable on and after the 1st day of May.

R. BUCK, Cashier.

BOSTON, Mass., April 24, 1874.

INTEREST COUPONS NO. 9, POTTAWATTOMIE LAND BONDS, due May 1, 1874, will be paid at the North National Bank, Boston.

EMMONS RAYMOND, Trustee.

SAVINGS BANKS.

ATLANTIC SAVINGS BANK

will remove on THURSDAY, April 30, 1874, to its new building,

BOWERY, CORNER BOND ST.,

and in accordance with provisions of chap. 676, laws of 1873, will thereafter be known as the

Bond Street Savings Bank.

HARRISON HALL, President.
C. D. BAILEY, Treasurer.
J. P. COOPER, Secretary.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK,

Nos. 396 and 398 Canal st., corner Laight.

Open daily from 10 to 3, and Monday evenings 5 to 7.

Assets, Over Ten Million Dollars.

Surplus, Seven Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.

SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ALLOWED.

Books in English, French, and German.

G. S. CHAPIN, Treasurer. | N. J. HAINES, President. T. S. ARMOUR, Secretary.

IRVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION

NO. 96 WARREN ST., NEW-YORK.

SIX PER CENT. INTEREST allowed on all sums.

Interest commences from 1st of January, April, July, and October.

Bank open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

WALTER W. CONCKLIN, President.

VANDERBILT L. BUXTON, Secretary.

CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

Current rate of interest SIX per cent. per annum.

Interest payable in January and July of each year for the number of calendar months the same has been on deposit next previous to the first day of January or July.

Bank No. 58 Bowery, south-west corner of Canal st. Open every day from 10 to 3, and on MONDAYS and SATURDAYS from 10 to 7.

Bank-books in English, German, and French.

E. A. QUINTARD, President.

SEYMOUR A. BUNCE, Secretary.

GERMAN UP-TOWN SAVINGS BANK, Nos. 906 and 908 3d av., corner 55th st.

MONEY DEPOSITED NOW will draw interest from the 1st May at the rate of SIX PER CENT. per ANNUM on all sums from $1 to $5,000.

Bank open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, and SATURDAYS also, from 6 to 8 in the evening.

NEW-YORK SAVINGS BANK 8TH AV., corner 14th st.—Six per cent. interest, commencing the 1st of each month.

Assets $3,059,015 06 | Surplus $261,919 14

C. W. BRINCKERHOFF, Sec. RICH. H. BULL, Pres.

FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK, CORNER 42D ST. and 8th av. Established in 1860. Open daily from 9 to 3; Saturday and Monday evenings from 5 to 8. Interest 6 per cent., commencing the first of every month.

STORAGE.

STORAGE.—WEST SIDE STORAGE WAREHOUSES, Nos. 593, 634, 636 Hudson, No. 779 Greenwich st., and No. 10 Abingdon square.—Superior accommodations for furniture, pianos, paintings, mirrors, and other family property; placed in separate rooms; always accessible; goods received and delivered day and night; carting, packing, and shipping promptly executed. R. TAGGART, Owner and Manager, Office No. 593 Hudson st., near 12th st.

MORRELL'S NEW FIRST-CLASS STORAGE warehouses, from 102 to 114 East 32d st., extending to 4th av., built expressly for the purpose. Storage for furniture, pianos, paintings, trunks, baggage, and other packages of extra value. The public are invited to examine.

SHIPPING.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP LINE.

GREAT REDUCTION IN RATES, PASSAGE AND FREIGHT.

To California via Panama.

The magnificent steam-ships of this line will be dispatched from Pier No. 42 North River, New-York, as under:

Saturday, May 9, at 12 M., COLON, Capt. S. P. Griffin. Passengers and freight.

Saturday, May 23, at 12 M., ACAPULCO, Capt. ——. Passengers and freight.

And every fortnightly Saturday thereafter, connecting at Panama with all steamers for Central America, Mexican coast, and South Pacific ports.

Passenger steamers will call at Kingston, Jamaica, both on their outward and homeward trips, arriving at that port on Friday, the sixth day after leaving New-York, and leaving Saturday P. M. for Aspinwall.

Extra steamers for freight, &c., will be dispatched on intermediate Saturdays, whenever the necessities of transportation may require it.

TO JAPAN AND CHINA.

The splendid steamers of this line, carrying United States mails, leave San Francisco for Yokohama, Hong Kong, and Shanghai as follows:

CHINA....May 2
GRANADA....May 16
COLORADO....May 16

Tea will be brought from San Francisco to New-York, fast, in twenty-eight days, at $40, gold, per ton of 2,000 pounds.

RATES OF PASSAGE,

(Including berth, meals and all requisites for the trip.)

New-York to San Francisco, $50, $100 or $110 currency, according to location.

New-York to Kingston, $25 or $50, gold, according to location.

San Francisco to Yokohama, $150, gold.

San Francisco to Hong Kong, $200, gold.

For freight and passage or other information apply at the Company's office, Pier No. 42 North River, foot of Canal st., New-York.

H. J. BULLAY, Superintendent.
RUFUS HATCH,
Vice President and Managing Director.

INMAN LINE.

NOTICE.

The course laid down for these steamers, and followed by them for several years, is fixed to pass 250 miles south of Cape Race. Although the voyage is thus lengthened about 100 miles, better weather is met with, and there is much greater freedom from fogs and floating ice, and the danger of navigation consequent thereon.

Royal Mail Steamers are appointed to sail as follows:

FOR QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERPOOL.

CITY OF BROOKLYN....Saturday, May 2, 2 P. M.
CITY OF BRUSSELS....Saturday, May 9, 12 M.
CITY OF CHESTER....Saturday, May 16, 2 P. M.
CITY OF RICHMOND....Saturday, May 23, 12 M.
CITY OF PARIS....Saturday, May 30, 2 P. M.

and each succeeding SATURDAY and THURSDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

CABIN, $80 and $90, gold, according to accommodation. Round trip tickets at low rates.

STEERAGE, to Liverpool, Queenstown, Glasgow, Londonderry, London, Bristol, Cardiff, Belfast, Havre, or Hamburg, $30. Prepaid certificates, $32, currency.

Passengers are forwarded to Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and Paris, at reduced rates.

Drafts issued at lowest rates.

For Cabin Passage and general business apply at the Company's office, No. 15 Broadway.

For Steerage Passage, at No. 33 Broadway, or Pier No. 45 North River. JOHN G. DALE, Agent.

O'DONNELL & FAULK, No. 402 Chestnut st., Philadelphia.

M. S. CREAGH, No. 102 State st., Boston.

F. C. BROWN, No. 32 South Clark st., corner Lake st., Chicago.

WM. INMAN, Liverpool, and No. 9 Rue Scribe, Paris.

ANCHOR LINE.

NEW-YORK AND GLASGOW.

STEAMER EVERY ALTERNATE DAY.

Tuesday steamers proceed via Londonderry.
Thursday steamers proceed via Queenstown.
Saturday steamers proceed direct to Glasgow.

From company's piers, 20 and 21 North River, N. Y.

Castalia, Thursday, April 30	Utopia, Saturday....May 9
Australia, Saturday, May 2	Victoria, Tuesday..May 12
Ethiopia, Tuesday....May 5	Caledonia, Thurs....May 14
Italia, Thursday....May 7	Macedonia, Sat'day.May 16

RATES OF PASSAGE—PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.

TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, LONDONDERRY, QUEENSTOWN OR BELFAST.

Cabin, $65 to $90, according to steamer and accommodations. Return tickets issued at reduced rates. Intermediate, $35. Steerage, $30.

Drafts issued for any amount at lowest rates.

Send for circulars, giving further information, to Company's offices, No. 7 Bowling green.

HENDERSON BROTHERS, Agents.

CUNARD LINE.

NOTICE.

With the view of diminishing the chances of collision, the steamers of this line take a specified course for all seasons of the year.

On the outward passage from Queenstown to New-York or Boston, crossing meridian of 50 at 43 latitude, or nothing to the north of 43.

On the homeward passage, crossing the meridian of 50 at 42, or nothing to the north of 42.

THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAM-SHIPS, BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT CORK HARBOR.

FROM NEW-YORK.	FROM NEW-YORK.
Calabria, Wed'day, April 29	Abyssinia, Wed'y, May 20
*Scotia, Wednesday, May 6	Parthia, Satu'day, May 23
Algeria, Saturday, May 9	*Russia, Wednesday, May 27
*Cuba, Wednesday, May 13	China, Saturday, May 30
Java, Saturday, May 16	Calabria, Wed'day, June 3

And every following WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY from New-York.

Steamers marked thus * do not carry steerage passengers.

Rates of passage—Cabin, $80, $100, and $130, gold, according to accommodation. Return tickets on favorable terms. Steerage, $30, currency. Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown, and all parts of Europe, at lowest rates. For freight and cabin passage apply at the company's office, No. 4 Bowling green; for steerage passage, No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building.

CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent.

PASSENGERS PER STEAM-SHIP CALABRIA embark from the Cunard wharf, foot of Grand st., Jersey City, at 3 P. M., on WEDNESDAY, April 29, 1874. CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, No. 4 Bowling Green, New-York.

WHITE STAR LINE.

FOR QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERPOOL, CARRYING UNITED STATES MAIL.

NEW AND FULL-POWERED STEAM-SHIPS.

Sailing from New-York on SATURDAYS, from Liverpool on THURSDAYS, calling at Cork Harbor each way.

REPUBLIC....SATURDAY, May 2, at 3 P. M.
CELTIC....SATURDAY, May 9, at 11 A. M.
ADRIATIC....SATURDAY, May 16, at 3 P. M.
BALTIC....SATURDAY, May 23, at 11 A. M.

From White Star Dock, Pavonia Ferry, Jersey City.

Passenger accommodations (for all classes) unrivaled, combining

SAFETY, SPEED, AND COMFORT.

Saloon, State-rooms, Smoking-room and Bath-rooms in MIDSHIP section, where least motion is felt. Surgeons and stewardesses accompany these steamers.

Rates—Saloon, $80, gold; return tickets, $140, gold; steerage, $30, currency. Those wishing to send for friends from the old country can now obtain steerage prepaid certificates, $32, currency.

Passengers booked to or from all parts of America, to Paris, Hamburg, Norway, Sweden, India, Australia, China, &c.

Drafts from £1 upward.

For inspection of plans and other information apply at the Company's offices, No. 19 Broadway, New-York.

R. J. CORTIS, Agent.

STATE LINE.

NEW-YORK TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, BELFAST, AND LONDONDERRY.

These elegant new Clyde-built steamers will sail from Pier No. 36 North River as follows:

STATE OF GEORGIA....SATURDAY, May 2
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA....SATURDAY, May 16

And every alternate Saturday thereafter, taking passengers at through rates to all parts of Great Britain and Ireland, Norway, Sweden, Denmark, and Germany. Drafts for £1 and upward. For freight or passage apply to AUSTIN BALDWIN & CO., Agents, No. 72 Broadway.

Steerage office, No. 45 Broadway.

NATIONAL LINE.

NOTICE.—This Company takes the risk of insurance (up to $500,000 in gold) on each of its steamers, thus giving passengers the best possible guarantee for safety and avoidance of danger at sea.

The most southerly route has *always* been adopted by this company to avoid ice and headlands.

From Piers Nos. 44 and 47 North River.

TO QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERPOOL.

Egypt..Sat., May 2, 3 P. M.	Canada.Sat., May 16, 3 P.M.
Queen..Sat., May 9, 10 A.M.	Greece.Sat., May 23, 11 AM.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

DENMARK, SUMNER....Wednesday, May 13, at 2 P. M.

Cabin passage, $70 and $80, currency. Steerage, $29, currency. Return tickets at reduced rates. Prepaid steerage tickets from Liverpool at the lowest rates. Apply at the company's office, No. 69 Broadway.

F. W. J. HURST, Manager.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.

THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAM-SHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.

The splendid vessels on this favorite route for the Continent, (being more southerly than any other,) will sail from Pier No. 50 North River, as follows:

ST. LAURENT....LACHESNEZ....Saturday....May 2
PEREIRE....SURMONT....Saturday....May 16
VILLE DE PARIS....——....Saturday....May 30

PRICE OF PASSAGE IN GOLD, (including wine,) TO BREST OR HAVRE:

First Cabin, $125....Second Cabin, $75.

Superior accommodations for a few steerage passengers at $35.

Excursion tickets at reduced rates.

American travelers going to, or returning from the Continent of Europe, by taking this line, avoid both transit by English railway and the discomforts of crossing the Channel, besides saving time, trouble, and expense.

GEORGE MACKENZIE, Agent, No. 58 Broadway.

NOTE.—In June and thereafter, the departures will be on Thursday of every week.

NORTH GERMAN LLOYD STEAM-SHIP CO.

FOR SOUTHAMPTON AND BREMEN.

The steam-ship KOLN, Capt. R. RINGK, will sail on WEDNESDAY, April 29, at 2 P. M., from Bremen Pier, foot 3d st., Hoboken, to be followed by steam-ship DONAU, Capt. Hs. F. NEYNABER, on SATURDAY, May 2.

RATES OF PASSAGE TO LONDON, HAVRE, AND BREMEN, payable in gold or its equivalent in currency:

First cabin....$120
Second cabin....72
Steerage....30

For freight or passage apply to OELRICHS & CO., Agents, No. 2 Bowling green.

NOTICE TO TRAVELERS.

Families or gentlemen going to travel on the Continent of Europe, who can afford the expense of a courier, should never leave Paris without one. Their services are invaluable in relieving the traveler from multiplicity of cares and troubles respecting passports, examination and conveyance of luggage, in securing the best accommodation, in protecting the traveler from imposition, and an infinity of annoyances to which they are exposed in various parts of the Continent. Competent and trustworthy couriers and traveling servants may always be obtained by applying to the COURIER SOCIETY, No. 8 Rue d'Alger, near the Tuileries Garden, Paris.

SHIPPING.

CARDIFF LINE.

NEW-YORK TO CARDIFF.

The South Wales Atlantic Steam-ship Company's New, First-Class, Full-Powered Clyde-Built Steam-ships

Will sail from Pennsylvania Railroad Wharf, Jersey City, as follows:

GLAMORGAN....May 2
PEMBROKE....May 16

Carrying goods and passengers at through rates from all parts of the United States and Canada to ports in the Bristol Channel, and all other points in England.

These steam-ships, built expressly for the trade, are provided with all the latest improvements for the comfort and convenience of

CABIN AND STEERAGE PASSENGERS.

First Cabin....$75 and $80 currency.
Second Cabin....$55 currency
Steerage....$30 currency.
Prepaid steerage certificates from Cardiff....$33

Drafts for £1 and upward.

For further particulars apply in Cardiff at the Company's Offices, No. 1 Dock Chambers, and in New-York to ARCHIBALD BAXTER & CO., Agents, No. 17 Broadway.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.

THE FLORIDA PORTS, AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTH-WEST.

GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA, AND ATLANTIC AND GULF RAILROAD.

WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.

THE STEAM-SHIPS

LEO, Capt. DEARBORN, WEDNESDAY, April 29, from Pier No. 16 East River, at 3 P. M.

MURRAY, FERRIS & CO., Agents, No. 62 South st.

SAN JACINTO, Capt. HAZARD, SATURDAY, May 2, from Pier No. 43 North River, at 3 P. M.

WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 5 Bowling green.

HUNTSVILLE, Capt. CROWELL, WEDNESDAY, May 6, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 3 P. M.

R. LOWDEN, Agent, No. 93 West st.

SAN SALVADOR, Capt. NICKERSON, SATURDAY, May 9, from Pier No. 43 North River, at 3 P. M.

WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 5 Bowling green.

Insurance by this line ONE-HALF PER CENT.

Superior accommodations for passengers.

Through rates and bills of lading, in connection with Central Railroad of Georgia, to all points.

Through rates and bills of lading in connection with the Atlantic and Gulf Railroad and Florida steamers.

GEORGE YONGE,
Agent Great Southern Freight Line, No. 409 Broadway.

RED STAR LINE.

Appointed to carry the Belgian and United States Mails. The following steamers are appointed to sail

FOR ANTWERP.

From Philadelphia.	From New-York.
NEDERLAND....April 17	SWITZERLAND....May 9
VADERLAND....April 24	NEDERLAND....June 6

FROM ANTWERP.

For Philadelphia.	For New-York.
CYBELE....April 29	SWITZERLAND....April 15
VADERLAND....May 27	NEDERLAND....May 13

PRICES OF PASSAGE IN CURRENCY.

First Cabin....$90	Second Cabin....$60
Steerage....30	Prepaid Certificates....32

Passenger accommodations for all classes unsurpassed. Ample attendance is provided. Every steamer carries a surgeon and stewardess. Through tickets and through bills of lading issued between all prominent points. For passage, rates of freight, and other information, apply to

PETER WRIGHT & SONS, General Agents, 307 Walnut st., Philadelphia. 42 Broad st., New-York. B. vonder Becke, General European Agent, Antwerp.

EAGLE LINE.

UNITED STATES MAIL STEAM-SHIPS TO PLYMOUTH, CHERBOURG, AND HAMBURG.

The elegant Clyde-built steam-ships will sail from New-York as follows:

HERDER, Capt. A. FISCHER, May 19.
GOETHE, Capt. J. A. WILSON, June 2.

from Eagle Line Pier, foot of 1st st., Hoboken.

RATES OF PASSAGE:

PLYMOUTH, LONDON, CHERBOURG, and HAMBURG, Cabin, first saloon, $120, gold; second saloon, $72, gold. Steerage to Plymouth and London, $30, currency; steerage to Cherbourg and Hamburg, $30, gold. Prepaid tickets from Hamburg, $36, currency. For freight apply to FUNCH, EDYE & CO., No. 27 South William st. For passage apply to KNAUTH, NACHOD & KUHNE, General Agents, No. 113 Broadway.

ATLAS MAIL LINE.

BI-MONTHLY SERVICE TO HAYTI, VENEZUELA, CURACOA, MARACAIBO, JAMAICA, AND COLOMBIA.

First-class full-powered English-built Iron screw steamers, from Pier No. 12 North River.

For HAYTI, CURACOA, VENEZUELA, and PORTO RICO.

CLARIBEL....April 30
CORINTH....May 15

For JAMAICA AND COLOMBIA.

ETNA....April 29
ATLAS....May 15

First-class passenger accommodation.

PIM, FORWOOD & CO., Agents, Nos. 56 Wall and 59 Pine sts.

GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE,

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C., THE FLORIDA PORTS, AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTH-WEST,

SAILING SEMI-WEEKLY AT 3 P. M., from Pier No. 29 North River.

SOUTH CAROLINA, Capt. J. T. BECKETT, Wednesday, April 29.

CHARLESTON, Capt. JAS. BERRY, Saturday, May 2.

Superior accommodations for passengers.

☞ Insurance by this line ONE-HALF PER CENT. Goods forwarded free of commission.

Passage tickets and bills of lading issued and signed at the office of

JAMES W. QUINTARD & CO., Agents, No. 177 West st., (corner of Warren,) Or W. P. CLYDE & CO., No. 6 Bowling green.

Through freight tariffs. Passage tickets by all routes and to all points in the South and South-west, and further information can be obtained at the office of

BENTLEY D. HASELL,
General Agent Great Southern Freight Line, No. 317 Broadway.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

(VIA QUEENSTOWN.)

CARRYING THE UNITED STATES MAILS.

THE LIVERPOOL AND GREAT WESTERN STEAM COMPANY will dispatch one of their first-class full-power iron screw steam-ships from

PIER NO. 46 NORTH RIVER, EVERY TUESDAY, as follows:

WISCONSIN, Capt. FREEMAN....April 28, 3 P. M.
MINNESOTA, Capt. BEDDOE....May 5, 3 P. M.
WYOMING, Capt. GUARD....May 12, 2 P. M.
No Boat....May 19.
NEVADA, Capt. FORSYTH....May 26, 2 P. M.
IDAHO, Capt. MOORE....June 2, 3 P. M.

Cabin passage, $80, gold.

Steerage passage, (Office No. 29 Broadway,) $30, currency.

For freight or cabin passage apply to WILLIAMS & GUION, No. 63 Wall st.

FOR ST. THOMAS AND BRAZIL.

THE UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

Regular mail steamers SAILING 23D OF EVERY MONTH, making close connections at RIO DE JANEIRO with the English and French Mail Steamships for MONTEVIDEO and BUENOS AYRES.

The splendid steam-ship SOUTH AMERICA, Capt. E. L. TINKLEPAUGH, will sail from PIER No. 43 NORTH RIVER, on SATURDAY, May 23, at 3 P. M., calling at ST. THOMAS, PARA, PERNAMBUCO, BAHIA, and RIO DE JANEIRO, going and returning.

First cabin passage to St. Thomas, $100; to Para, $150; to Pernambuco, $200; to Bahia, $210, and to Rio de Janeiro, $225, gold. Steerage half price. EXCURSION TICKETS, good for six months, at three quarters of above rates. Freights greatly reduced.

Apply to WM. R. GARRISON, No. 5 Bowling green.

NEW-YORK AND HAVANA DIRECT MAIL LINE.

These first-class steam-ships will sail every TUESDAY, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 13 North River, (foot of Cedar st.,) for Havana direct, as follows:

COLUMBUS, Capt. E. C. REED, May 5.
MORRO CASTLE, Capt. THOS. H. MORTON, May 12.
CRESCENT CITY, Capt. T. S. CURTIS, May 19.

For freight or passage (having magnificent accommodations) apply to WM. P. CLYDE & CO., No. 6 Bowling green.

D. MCKELLAR, Agent in Havana.

March 31, 1873.

FOR HAVANA.

NASSAU, HAVANA, PROGRESO, AND VERA CRUZ. New-York, Havana, and Mexican Mail Steam-ship Line, Leaving Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M.

CITY OF MERIDA, (Havana direct)....April 30
CITY OF HAVANA, (Havana direct)....May 7
CITY OF NEW-YORK, (Havana via Nassau)....May 14
CUBA, (Havana and Mexico)....May 16

For freight or passage apply to F. ALEXANDRE & SONS, No. 33 Broadway.

COOK'S TOURIST AND EXCURSION TICKETS

Are issued to every part of the world. They are printed in English on one side and in the language of the country where used on the other. To any part of Ireland or Scotland, 162 routes. To Italy and Switzerland, 195 routes. To Holland, Belgium, and the Rhine, every route. Tickets issued combining every country in Europe, available by any line of steamers from America. They are all sold at reductions ranging from ten to forty-five per cent. below ordinary fares. Their holders are not required to travel in large parties. Cook's Hotel coupons, guaranteeing best accommodations at over 300 first-class hotels, at uniform and reduced rates. Cook's *Excursionist*, American edition, contains fare and expenses for over 1,000 tours, price 10 cents. Cook's next personally conducted party to the south of France, Italy, Switzerland, and the Rhine leaves by steamer Egypt May 2, price $650, gold, including everything.

COOK, SON & JENKINS, 261 Broadway, New-York.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.—United States passports, indispensable to travelers, issued by J. B. NONES, Passport Agent, No. 91 Duane st., corner Broadway.

RAILROADS.

NEW-YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.

After Nov. 2, 1873, through trains will leave Grand Central Depot:

8:00 A. M., Chicago and Northern Express, with drawing-room cars through to Rochester and St. Albans.

10:30 A. M., special Chicago Express, with drawing-room cars to Rochester, Buffalo, &c.

10:45 A. M., Northern and Western Express.

3:40 P. M., Albany and Troy Express, Saturday only.

4:00 P. M., Montreal Express, with sleeping cars from New-York to St. Albans.

6:00 P. M., Express, daily, with sleeping cars for Watertown and Canandaigua.

8:00 P. M., Pacific Express, daily, with sleeping cars for Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls; also for Chicago, via both L. S. and M. C. Railroads.

11:00 P. M., Express, with sleeping cars for Troy and Albany. Way trains as per Local Time Table.

C. H. KENDRICK, General Passenger Agent.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

THE GREAT TRUNK LINE AND UNITED STATES MAIL ROUTE.

Trains leave New-York, from foot of Desbrosses and Cortlandt sts., as follows:

Express for Harrisburg, Pittsburg, the West and South, with Pullman palace cars attached, 9:30 A. M., 5 and 8:30 P. M. Sunday, 5 and 8:30 P. M.

For Williamsport, Lock Haven, Corry, and Erie, via Philadelphia and Erie Railroad, 7 P. M. For Williamsport, 9:30 A. M., connecting at Philadelphia.

For Baltimore, Washington, and the South, "Limited, Washington Express" of Pullman parlor cars, daily, except Sunday, at 9:30 A. M., arrive at Washington at 4:10 P. M.; regular at 8:40 A. M.; 3 and 9 P. M. Sunday, 9 P. M.

Express for Philadelphia, 8:40, 9:30, A. M., 12:30, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8:30, 9 P. M., and 12 night. Sunday 5, 6:10, 8:30, and 9 P. M. Emigrant and second class, 7 P. M.

For Trenton at 7:20 A. M., 2, and 3:10 P. M. Sunday 6:10 P. M.

For Newark at 6, 6:30, 7:20, 7:40, 8, 9, 10, 11 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 2:30, 3:10, 3:40, 4:10, 4:30, 5, 5:20, 5:40, 6, 6:10, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8:10, 10, 11:30 P. M., and 12 night. Sunday 5:20, 6:10, and 8:10 P. M.

For Elizabeth, 6, 6:30, 7:20, 7:40, 8, 9, 10, 11 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 2:30, 3:10, 3:40, 4:10, 4:30, 5:20, 5:40, 6, 6:10, 6:30, 7:30, 8:10, 10, 11:30 P. M., and 12 night. Sunday 5:20, 6:10, and 8:10 P. M.

For Rahway, 6, 6:30, 7:20, 8, 10 A. M., 12 M., 1, 2, 2:30, 3:10, 3:40, 4:10, 4:30, 5:20, 5:40, 6, 6:10, 6:30, 8:10, 10 P. M., and 12 night. Sunday 5:20 and 6:10 P. M.

For Woodbridge, Perth Amboy, and South Amboy, 6 and 10 A. M., 2:30, 4:10, and 6 P. M.

For New-Brunswick, 7:20 and 8 A. M., 12 M., 2, 3:10, 4:30, 5:20, 6:10, 7, P. M., and 12 night. Sunday 6:10 P. M.

For East Millstone, 12 noon, 3:10 and 4:30 P. M.

For Lambertville and Flemington, 9:30 A. M. and 4 P. M.

For Phillipsburg and Belvidere, 9:30 A. M., 2 and 4 P. M.

Accommodation for Bordentown, Burlington, and Camden, 7:20 and 9:30 A. M., 12:30, 2, 3:10, 4, and 7 P. M.

For Freehold, 7:20 A. M., 2 and 4 P. M.

For Farmingdale and Squan, 7:20 A. M. and 2 P. M.

For Pemberton and Camden, 6 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.

Trains arrive as follows: From Pittsburg, 6:50 A. M., 12:35 and 7:35 P. M., daily; 11:55 A. M. daily, except Monday. From Washington and Baltimore, 6:05 A. M., 4:15, 5:15 and 10:27 P. M. Sunday 6:05 A. M. and 10:27 P. M. From Philadelphia, 5:10, 6:20, 6:50, 10:15, 11:55 A. M., 2:15, 5:15, 6:05, 8:44, 10:27 P. M. Sunday 5:10, 6:20, 6:50, 11:55 A. M. and 10:27 P. M.

Ticket-offices, Nos. 526, 435, 271, and 944 Broadway, No. 1 Astor House, and foot of Desbrosses and Cortlandt sts. Emigrant Ticket-office, No. 8 Battery place.

A. J. CASSATT, General Manager. D. M. BOYD, Jr., General Passenger Agent.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW-JERSEY.

ALLENTOWN LINE TO THE WEST.

Passenger and Freight Station in New-York, foot of Liberty st. Connects at Somerville, with South Branch Railroad; at Hampton Junction with Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad; at Phillipsburg with Lehigh and Susquehanna Division; also with Lehigh Valley Railroad. Direct line to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, and the West; also to Central Pennsylvania and New-York State.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

Commencing Dec. 1, 1873.—Leave New-York as follows:

5:15 A. M.—News Train for Easton, Bethlehem, Bath, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

6 A. M.—Way Train for Plainfield.

7 A. M.—Way Train for Flemington, Easton, Belvidere, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Mahanoy City, Mount Carmel, Hazleton, Tunkhannock, Towanda, Waverly, &c. Connects at Junction with Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad.

9 A. M.—Morning Express, daily, (except Sundays,) for Easton, Allentown, Harrisburg, and the West. Connects at Somerville for Flemington, at Easton for Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with through cars to Danville, Williamsport, &c.

10:30 A. M.—Way Train for Somerville.

12:40 P. M.—Express for Flemington, Easton, Bath, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Mahanoy City, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Columbia, Lancaster, Ephrata, Pottsville, Harrisburg, &c.

2:30 P. M.—Way train for Easton, Allentown, and Belvidere.

3:30 P. M.—Way train for Plainfield.

4 P. M.—Way train for Easton, Allentown, and Mauch Chunk. Connects at Junction with Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad.

4:30 P. M.—Way train for Somerville and Flemington.

5 P. M.—Way train for Somerville.

5:15 P. M.—Way train for Plainfield.

5:30 P. M.—Evening Express, daily, for Easton, Belvidere, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Chicago, &c.

6 P. M.—Way train for Somerville.

6:40 P. M.—For Plainfield.

7:30 P. M.—(Emigrant)—For Easton.

9:15 P. M.—Way train for Somerville.

11:45 P. M.—For Plainfield.

For Elizabeth at 5:15, 6, 6:40, 7, 7:30, 8, 8:45, 9, 9:30, 10:30, 11:15 A. M.; 12 M.; 12:40, 1, 2, 2:30, 3, 3:30, 3:45, 4, 4:15, 4:30, 4:45, 5, 5:15, 5:30, 5:45, 6, 6:20, 6:40, 7:15, 7:30, 8:15, 9:15, 10:30, 11:45 P. M.

R. E. RICKER, Superintendent and Engineer.
H. P. BALDWIN, General Passenger Agent.

SOUTH-SIDE RAILROAD.

NOTICE.

On and after March 2, 1874, trains will leave South 8th st., Brooklyn, as follows, Sundays excepted:

For Patchogue, and intermediate stations, at 9:30 A. M. and 4 P. M.

For Islip, and intermediate stations, at 9:30 A. M., and 4 and 5 P. M.

For Babylon, and intermediate stations, at 9:30 A. M., and 1:30, 4, 5, and 6 P. M.

For Merrick, and intermediate stations, at 9:30 A. M., and 1:30, 5, 6, and 7 P. M.

For Hempstead, Rockaway, and intermediate stations, at 9:30 A. M., and 4, 5, and 6 P. M.

Sunday trains leave Bushwick for Islip at 9 A. M.

GEO. F. CARMAN, Superintendent.

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After Jan. 1, 1874, trains leave Grand Central Depot (42d st.) for New-Canaan Railroad at 8:05 A. M., 1, and 5:10 P. M.; Danbury and Norwalk Railroad at 8:05 A. M., 3 and 4:38 P. M.; Naugatuck Railroad at 8:05 A. M., 12 M., and 3 P. M.; Housatonic Railroad at 8:05 A. M. and 3 P. M.; New-Haven and Northampton Railroad at 8:05 A. M. and 3 P. M.; New-Haven, Middletown and Willimantic Railroad at 8:05 A. M. and 3 P. M.; Boston and Albany Railroad at 8:05 and 10 A. M., 3 and 8:10 P. M., (7 P. M. on Sunday;) Boston (via Shore Line) at 1 and 9:10 P. M., (9:10 P. M. on Sundays.)

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THIS WEDNESDAY, April 29, at 8 o'clock P. M.,

(LAST TIME.) MIGNON. NILSSON.

Mme. CHRISTINE NILSSON....as....Mignon
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Miss ANNA LOUISE CARY....as....Federico
M. VICTOR CAPOUL....as....Guglielmo
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On SATURDAY, May 2, at 1:30 P. M., GRAND FAREWELL GALA MATINEE, LA FAVORITA—Mme. PAULINE LUCCA.

NEXT SUNDAY, May 3, at 8 P. M., GRAND SACRED FESTIVAL CONCERT, STABAT MATER—Mme. NILSSON—Mme. LUCCA.

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8. From Desbrosses st., North River, to Jersey City.
9. From Whitehall st., East River, to North Shore, Staten Island.
10. From Christopher st., North River, to Hoboken, New-Jersey.

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ANDREW H. GREEN, Comptroller.

New-York, Controller's Office, April 24, 1874.

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Admission, 50 cents; reserved seats, 50 cents and $1 extra; family circle, 30 cents.

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☞ DONALD McKAY, ☜

An entirely new, original, sensational American drama, given for the first time in this City, after being performed before immense and enthusiastic audiences throughout the United States,

MR. OLIVER DOUD BYRON,

the renowned actor, assuming three principal characters.

MATINEE SATURDAY. AT 1:30 O'CLOCK.

BOOTH'S THEATRE. Lessee, J. B. BOOTH.

LAST WEEK OF THE ENGAGEMENT OF Miss NEILSON, who will appear on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND FRIDAY EVENINGS, FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THIS CITY, IN HER FAMOUS INTERPRETATION OF ☞ JULIA, ☜ In Sheridan Knowles' celebrated play of THE HUNCHBACK,

a characterization that has been pronounced a fitting companion picture to her world-renowned personation of Juliet.

In consequence of the great demand for seats to witness MISS NEILSON'S GREAT RENDITION OF ☞ JULIET, ☜ it affords the management pleasure to announce it for THREE MORE REPRESENTATIONS,

On TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY EVENINGS.

SATURDAY EVENING, May 2, 1874, MISS NEILSON'S BENEFIT AND FAREWELL PERFORMANCE.

SATURDAY MATINEE AT 1:30, AS YOU LIKE IT.

ROSALIND, for the last time....Miss NEILSON

On MONDAY EVENING, May 4, 1874, The young American tragedian, Mr. JOHN McCULLOUGH, will make his first appearance at this theatre in Dr. Montgomery Bird's classical tragedy, in five acts, entitled THE GLADIATOR.

SPARTACUS....Mr. JOHN McCULLOUGH

Seats may be secured SIX DAYS IN ADVANCE at the box-office of theatre, or branch ticket-office, at the music store of C. H. Ditson & Co., No. 711 Broadway.

PARK THEATRE.—CHARLES FECHTER—LOVE'S PENANCE.
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The great Grimaldi, GEORGE L. FOX, in his great Comic Trick Pantomime of HUMPTY DUMPTY at HOME. Introducing his WORLD OF WONDERS.

EVE'S at 8. MATS at 2.

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S MATINEES

Tuesdays at 2. Thursdays at 2. Saturdays at 2.

DAN BRYANT'S MINSTRELS. 23D ST. Every evening at 8. Saturday matinée at 2. Crowded with fashionable and delighted audiences. Two hours' fun. All new acts. Dan Bryant, Unsworth, Eugene, Hart, Reed, Seymour.

LOVE'S PENANCE.—GREAT SUCCESS.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW-YORK against THE FIRST MANHATTAN CO-OPERATIVE BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTURING ASSOCIATION.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed the Receiver of all the property, moneys, and effects of the First Manhattan Co-operative Boot and Shoe Manufacturing Association of New-York, and that:

1. All persons indebted to such association are required by the sixth (6th) day of June, 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of the undersigned, as Receiver of said association, at No. 31 Spruce street, in the City of New-York, to render an account of all debts and sums of money owing by them respectively to said Receiver and to pay the same.

2. All persons having in their possession any property or effects of said association are required to deliver the same to the said Receiver by the day above appointed.

3. All creditors of said association are required to deliver their respective accounts and demands to the said Receiver by the sixth (6th) day of June next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

4. All persons holding any open or subsisting contract of such association are required to present the same to said Receiver on the sixth (6th) day of June next, at his office, No. 31 Spruce street, in the City of New-York, in writing and in detail.

5. And a general meeting of the creditors of such association will be held on the sixth (6th) day of June, 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Receiver's office, No. 31 Spruce street, New-York City, where all demands for and against such association, and all its open and subsisting contracts will be ascertained and adjusted, as far as may be, and the amount of moneys in the hands of the Receiver declared.

Dated NEW-YORK, Feb. 24, 1874.

GEORGE S. STUDWELL, Receiver of the First Manhattan Co-operative Boot and Shoe Manufacturing Association.

SAMUEL H. RANDALL, Attorney for George S. Studwell, Receiver, No. 239 Broadway, New-York City.

SUPREME COURT—CITY AND COUNTY OF New-York—JAMES ROGERS, plaintiff, against HENRY W. GENET, defendant—Summons.—For a money demand on contract.—(Com. not served.)—To the defendant above named: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the County Court-house in the City of New-York, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber, at his office, No. 5 Dey street, New-York City, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of twelve hundred and ten dollars and sixty-six cents, with interest on eleven hundred and eighty-nine dollars thereof from the 1st day of October, 1873, and on twenty-one dollars and sixty-six cents thereof from the 29th day of March, 1873, besides the costs of this action.—Dated New-York, March 31, 1874.

M. J. EARLEY, Plaintiff's Attorney, No. 5 Dey street, New-York.

The defendant will take notice that the complaint in the above-entitled action was this day filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the County Court-house, in the City of New-York.—Dated New-York, April 18, 1874. M. J. EARLEY, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW-York, City and County of New-York.—HARTLAND S. MACDOUGALL, plaintiff, — EDWARD ALEXANDER PRENTICE, Walter Shanly, James D. Crawford, Alexander H. Sibley, Peleg Hall, Eber B. Ward, Edward Learned, and Charles A. Trowbridge, defendants.—Summons.—For relief—Com. not served.—To the defendants: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the Court-house, in said City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, No. 65 Wall street, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, April 9, 1874.

CAREY & FOSTER, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

The complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York, at the Court-house, in said City, on the 14th day of April, 1874.

CAREY & FOSTER, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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AMUSEMENTS.

FIFTH AVENUE THEATRE,

28th st. and Broadway. Begins at 8. Over at 10:20.

Mr. AUGUSTIN DALY....Sole Lessee and Manager

EVERY NIGHT, THE GREAT PLAY,

MONSIEUR ALPHONSE!!

ENTHUSIASM UNPRECEDENTED!! LAUGHTER AND TEARS IN ALTERNATE PAROXYSMS!! THEATRE CROWDED TO THE DOORS.

Mr. CHARLES FISHER....as....CAPT. MONTAIGLIN
Mr. GEORGE CLARKE....as....MONSIEUR OCTAVE
Mr. JAMES LEWIS....as....JOVIN
Mr. FRANK HARDENBERG..as....REMY
BIJOU HERON....as....ADRIENNE
Miss ADA DYAS....as....RAYMONDE
Mrs. G. H. GILBERT....as....MANON
Miss MINA VARIAN....as....BONETTE
Miss FANNY DAVENPORT....as....MADAME GUICHARD

ALPHONSE MATINEE SATURDAY AT 1:30.

UNION SQUARE THEATRE.

Begins at 8; over at 11. Saturday Matinée at 1:30.
Proprietor....Mr. SHERIDAN SHOOK
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THIS WEEK.

144th to 151st

PERFORMANCE AND UNDIMINISHED SUCCESS of the new play.

LED ASTRAY,

By Octave Feuillet and Dion Boucicault.

There is no DIMINUTION in the interest of the public in this MOST CHARMING PLAY, the house being crowded to the doors at every performance.

SATURDAY, May 2, at 1:30, 22D MATINEE OF LED ASTRAY.

Seats may be secured two weeks in advance.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, April 29, Benefit of Mr. CHARLES R. THORNE, JR., 146th performance of LED ASTRAY.

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MISS CHARLOTTE CUSHMAN

WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 29, Selections from "Macbeth."

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 4, Selections from "Romeo and Juliet."

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 6, Selections from "Merchant of Venice."

SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 9, Selections from "Much Ado About Nothing."

NOTE.—The second part of each Reading will consist of Miscellaneous Selections.

Morning Readings at 2. Evening Readings at 8.

Reserved seats, $1. Tickets for any of the single Readings for sale at Carrillo's stationery store, No. 825 Broadway, near 12th st., from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., daily.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.

Lessees and Managers....JARRETT & PALMER.

LAST NIGHTS OF THE SCHUMAN'S TRANSATLANTIC NOVELTY COMBINATION.

ALL THE WONDERS OF THE OLD WORLD.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 30, GRAND FAREWELL PERFORMANCE.

CLOSE OF SEASON. END OF MANAGEMENT.

EXTRAORDINARY BILL.

WEDNESDAY AT 2 O'CLOCK, LAST MATINEE FOR LADIES.

LAST MATINEE. LAST MATINEE.

WOOD'S MUSEUM. WOOD'S.

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, April 29 and 30.

AFTERNOON AT 2.	EVENING AT 8.
LAST TIMES of the celebrated tragedienne, SOPHIE MILES, in the thrilling Emotional Drama of EAST LYNNE.	By special request and for TWO NIGHTS ONLY, the Domestic Drama, UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON and EVENING, May 1, BENEFIT of Superintendent WM. A. LILLIENDAHL.

LYCEUM THEATRE. 14TH ST. and 6TH AV.

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SECOND WEEK of the successful historical play, LA MARJOLAINE.

Mr. F. F. MACKEY as ROBESPIERRE.

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"A Pure Play, well acted."

"A heart-picture in the drama."

MATINEE SATURDAY AT 1:30 P. M.

MONDAY, MAY 4, MISS JANE COOMBS, as Lady Teazle, in the School for Scandal.

PARK THEATRE.

BROADWAY AND 22d ST.

EVERY EVENING AND SATURDAY MATINEE, CHARLES FECHTER in LOVE'S PENANCE.

Carriages may be ordered at 10:30.

BOWERY THEATRE.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 1874, Mr. E. EDDY in the drama of METAMORA,

Preceded by the farce of THE FELLOW THAT LOOKS LIKE ME.

Concluding with ROBERT MACAIRE.

NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN.

FORTY-NINTH GRAND ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS AND SCULPTURES, NOW OPEN, DAY AND EVENING, corner 23d st. and 4th av. Admission, 25 cents.

THE CELEBRATED CAROLINA SINGERS will give a Grand Concert at Plymouth Baptist Church, 51st st., west of 9th av., TO-NIGHT. Tickets 50 cents.

TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE Home for Destitute Children of Seamen will take place FRIDAY, May 1, at 12 M., at the Home, Staten Island.

PARK THEATRE.—LOVE'S PENANCE.
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SURROGATE NOTICES.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against RICHARD WARREN WESTON, late of the City of New-York, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, at the office of Horace Gray, Esq., No. 64 South st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 31st day of July next.—Dated New-York, the 16th day of January, 1874.

HORACE GRAY, GEORGE CABOT WARD, B. FRANK SMITH, } Executors of Richard Warren Weston.

MARTIN & SMITH, Proctors for Executors, No. 31 Nassau st., New-York.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against TIMOTHY G. CHURCHILL, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at the office of Lee & Alvord, at No. 20 Nassau street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 26th day of September next. Dated, New-York, the 23d day of March, 1874.

ANNA P. CHURCHILL, E. VIRGINIA CHURCHILL, HENRY Y. SATTERLEE, Executors, &c., of Timothy G. Churchill deceased.

LEE & ALVORD, Proctors for Executors.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against AMOS F. HATFIELD, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at office of H. B. Brundrett, Nos. 448 and 450 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 18th day of September next.—Dated New-York, the 13th day of March, 1874.

SARAH A. HATFIELD, Executrix.
HART B. BRUNDRETT, THOMAS JONES, } Executors.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York.—Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against WILLIAM S. ROSS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at the office of the New-York Gas-light Company, No. 157 Hester street, in the City of New-York, his place of transacting business, on or before the 20th day of June next.—Dated New-York, the 15th day of December, 1873.

d17-law6mW* CORNELIUS P. ROSS, Executor.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against MARIA ACKERMAN, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at his office, No. 20 Warren street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 20th day of August next.—Dated New-York, the 12th day of February, 1874.

GEORGE ACKERMAN, Executor.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against REUEL SMITH, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business at the office of S. & R. Lord, No. 34 Burling slip, in the City of New-York, on or before the 14th day of October next.—Dated New-York, the 7th day of April, 1874.

EDMOND R. SMITH, Executor.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against NORMAN BOARDMAN, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at her residence, No. 7 East Thirty-fourth street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 23d day of October next.—Dated New-York, the 17th day of April, 1874.

ANNIE Y. BOARDMAN, Administratrix.

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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF ROBERT C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against SETH ELY, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to Henry C. Ely, No. 143 Front street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 15th day of May next.—Dated New-York the 30th day of October, 1873.

ADELAIDE S. ELY, Administratrix.
n12-law6mW* HENRY C. ELY, Administrator.

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

WALL STREET TOPICS.

CONDITION OF THE STOCK MARKET YESTERDAY—MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

The stock market opened yesterday at prices slightly in advance of the closing quotations of Monday, and a very active demand was maintained for the leading stocks, such as Western Union, Pacific Mail, Lake Shore, North-western, and Union Pacific. Indeed, the market was decidedly "bullish" for some time, especially in Western Union and Pacific Mail. It was evident that the bears of Thursday last were manœuvring for an advance. During the excitement on that day, timid parties got rid of stocks at whatever price they could obtain, and a large proportion of such sales was snatched up by the principal operators on the bear side. They are now looking for an advance so as to be able to unload at a profit, and many outsiders are therefore sure to suffer before the week is over. The news from Washington, or rather the want of any definite news, did not seem to have any noticeable effect on business. It is taken for granted that Congress will not attempt to revive "inflation," and that whatever measure or measures may be passed, will tend to give stability to the trade of the country. Western Union was the most prominent in yesterday's dealings. It opened at 73, and before 1 o'clock advanced to 75. Between 1 and 3 o'clock, the price ranged between 74 and 75, finally closing at 74⅜. Pacific Mail started off at 44, and steadily went up to 45⅞. It was not able to maintain this point, however, and closed at 45⅜. Lake Shore opened at 76⅞, and reached 77¾, closing at 77¼. Wabash was firm, and did not show much change. It closed at 42¼, being the same figure on the final quotation on Monday. New-York Central, Erie, Union Pacific, and other stocks gained at the close of the day's transactions about half of one per cent. It may be said that the market is at present in the hands of a few persons who manipulate it from day to day to suit their own dealings. There are not now so many large speculators in Wall street as formerly, and this makes it easier for a few unprincipled men, with sufficient money at their command, to control the market to a great extent. The gold market was rather dull. The price opened at 113¼, and at 10:42 was quoted at 113⅜. At 10:50, however, it fell to 113¼, and ranged from that to 113 during the remainder of the day, closing at the latter figure. There was no foundation for the rumor published by a morning paper to the effect that a prominent dealer in gold was in trouble for a large amount. Government bonds were one-eighth to one-half higher than on Monday, and the London market also showed a slight improvement in these securities. Railroad bonds were firm at prices higher than the previous day's quotations. The Mississippi floods have caused a scarcity of commercial bills, and consequently foreign exchange was stronger yesterday, and is likely to continue so as long as there is a scarcity of commercial paper. Money was easy, and call loans were made at from three to four per cent....The Sub-Treasury disbursed $275,000 for interest and $3,000 for called bonds. The export clearances of domestic produce for the week from this port amounted to $7,295,229....The following were elected Trustees of the National Trust Company: Trustees for three years, Darius R. Mangam, Samuel Constant, John R. Ceil, Norris Winslow, N. J. Haines, John L. Melcher, Silas Witherbee, Geo. Buckham, Wm. F. Allen, Lewis J. Phillips; Trustees for two years, Samuel Willets, Benjamin F. Beekman, Edward F. Knowlton; Trustees for one year, Henry S. Terbell, Elliot C. Cowdin. Mr. Dowing Duer, Jr., has been admitted to membership in the Gold Exchange. Three gentlemen, Messrs. Arnold, Wolff, and Villard, from Frankfort-on-Main, have arrived in this country as representatives of foreign bondholders. They will investigate the condition of the various undertakings in which their countrymen are interested, and in cases where no interest has been paid on bonds, steps will be taken to remedy the matter.

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

At the meeting of the Board of Health yesterday the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent be, and is hereby directed to report at the next meeting of the board, the condition of the grounds on which manure has been deposited during the Winter.

Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent be, and is hereby directed to cause an inspection of all tenement-houses, together with the yards, areas, cellars, and privies thereof, and report for orders of the board all violations of the Sanitary ordinances.

The following was adopted as an additional ordinance, and added to the sanitary code:

"That no person shall place or deposit garbage, rubbish, or liquid substance of any kind in any box, barrel, tub, cart, wagon, or any receptacle whatever used for the reception, the holding, or the transportation of ashes; nor shall any one put ashes in or upon garbage, rubbish, or liquid substance, or in any way place together, mix, or have in the same receptacle ashes and garbage in the City of New-York."

An amendment to section 55 of the Sanitary Code was adopted, prohibiting the driving of any cattle, sheep, pigs, &c., across the City between Tenth and Second avenues, below Seventy-ninth street, from the 1st of June prox.

Sanitary Inspector Post reported the facts in the case of Dr. H. Knapp, of No. 25 West Twenty-fourth street, who had failed to report to the Bureau of Sanitary Inspection a case of small-pox which he had been called upon to attend, and the board directed the attorney to enter suit against the delinquent doctor.

The School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward complained of the stables situated in Seventy-ninth street, near Third avenue, adjoining Grammar School No. 53, and stated that the odor from the stables has caused a great deal of sickness among the teachers and pupils. Referred to Sanitary Superintendent.

The following is a comparative statement of contagious diseases for the past week:

Week ending April 18—Typhoid fever, 3; scarlet fever, 56; measles, 58; diphtheria, 63; small-pox, 19.

Week ending April 25—Typhoid fever, 1; scarlet fever, 51; measles, 48; diphtheria, 50; small-pox, 35.

Dr. Elisha Harris, Register of Records, presented the following report on the mortality of the past week:

In the week that ended on Saturday, the 25th inst., there were 479 deaths reported in this City, against 558 deaths that actually occurred in the preceding week. The mortuary records for the week just ended exhibit a marked decrease in fatality from diphtheria, croup, and pneumonia, the number of deaths from these three causes being forty less than in the previous week, as respects fatal cases reported in the respective weeks. Infant mortality decreased in a similarly marked degree. The mean temperature last week was 44.4° Fahrenheit, and the range was from 36° to 57°, or 21°. The death-rate, which had risen to 29.15 per 1,000, annual rate, the second week in April, was at 27.90 in the week ending on the 18th inst., and, by the reported list of deaths last week, was equal to 23.95 per 1,000. The presence and increase of small-pox in several quarters of the City is one of the significant results of the want of an adequate system of continual watchfulness and record that shall duly present to all unvaccinated persons the invitation and facilities to be vaccinated, and thereby protected against the most loathsome contagion. The invasion of the City by vagrants and ignorant persons the past four months has done its share in the propagation of small-pox.

VISIT OF THE GRAND JURY TO THE ISLAND INSTITUTIONS.

The controversy which recently arose respecting the breach of prison discipline involved in the treatment which William M. Tweed receives at the hands of the officials in the Penitentiary, is likely to assume a new aspect, and some definite action in the premises will probably be the result. The attention of the General Sessions Grand Jury having been directed to the subject, that body determined upon a visit to the island institutions yesterday, and—in a general way to ascertain for themselves the truth which underlies a mass of contradictions. They were accompanied in their trip by the Commissioners of Charities and Correction, Messrs. Laimbeer, Stern, and Bowen, who explained to them the character of the discipline as it exists in each branch of the department under their charge. The Penitentiary was first visited, and the Grand Jury was then escorted to the hospital attached to that prison, where Tweed is employed as an orderly. The Grand Jury then visited all the other institutions, and no question being raised with respect to their discipline, they expressed unqualified approval of their condition. The inmates were seen in each institution, and the investigation generally was thorough. The inspection of about 300 convicts in striped uniform was a feature of the day. A very large proportion of them were juveniles, and none were over thirty years. Very many were compelled to wear the "ball and chain," on account of intractability, and the whole number, under command of armed keepers, some of whom were in boats to prevent their escape, were paraded before the visitors. The Grand Jury returned late in the afternoon. It is understood that the questions which caused their visit will be investigated by them this week, and the result will not be uninteresting.

LABOR NOTES.

Under the auspices of the Turn Hall Trades-union Convention, another mass-meeting on the subject of the Tompkins square riots, has been called for this evening, at the Cooper Institute. The object of the demonstration is to show that the Tompkins square outrage has not been forgotten by the working men of this City, and that they still hold the Police Commissioners responsible for the same.

The Central Organization of the German Trades-unions of this City has formed a committee to co-operate with a similar committee of the Working Men's Central Council, in making arrangements for a mass-meeting in the interest of the Eight-hour law, which is to come off at the Cooper Institute on the 18th of next month. A meeting of the German Cabinet-makers' Union was held at the Teutonic Assembly Rooms last night, when the arrangements for the projected demonstration were discussed.

The German wood-turners, who recently formed a trade organization, propose to organize a co-operative insurance association against accidents by machinery, which are very frequent in this branch of industry, and in many instances are the cause of long disability and serious loss to the workingmen. An Industrial and Agricultural Association, composed mainly of Germans, is in progress of organization in this city, the object of which is to establish a colony somewhere in Western Virginia, on purely Communistic principles. About 250 or 300 men are to be enrolled, who each are to contribute their share of about $100 each. The Committee of organization is composed of W. Dinger, C. Labhard, G. Buck, J. Kern, R. Buirkerand, T. Erne, and F. Firner.

TRIAL OF EX-CITY TREASURER SPRAGUE, OF BROOKLYN.

The trial of the Ex-City Treasurer of Brooklyn, Cortland A. Sprague, was resumed yesterday before Judge Moore, in the Court of Sessions. Nothing could be more absolutely dull than the proceedings of the day. They were entirely connected with matters of account, and were, therefore, uninteresting from the standpoint of the general public. Still the court-room was quite filled, although not crowded. The trial was resumed at 10 o'clock, when Mr. William E. Warren, who had been examined on the previous day, was cross-examined by Mr. Barnard, of counsel for the defense. The attention of the witness was invited to the figures which had been gone over on Monday, and he was cross-examined with the view of showing that, although there was or seemed to be a deficit in respect to the sums received and deposited on certain days, yet this was accounted for by an excess in the deposits made on other days. Counsel for the prosecution objected to this line of defense, but it was admitted by Judge Moore. In reply to the earlier questions of Mr. Barnard, witness stated that he had made his examination of the accounts of the defendant at the instance of the City authorities; that President Ropes had requested the examination of the accounts of the Brooklyn Trust Company, and that, at the request of the defendant, he had immediately undertaken an examination of the accounts. He had also made a general examination of the accounts of the Controller's office. Witness was next taken through the details of various instances, dating from Oct. 11, 1870, in which the deposits exceeded the receipts of the City Treasurer. Out of the cross-examination the following results were arrived at: On Oct. 11, 1870, the deposits exceeded the receipts by the Treasurer by the amount of $2,380 25; on Nov. 29, by $2,600; on Dec. 20, $2,500; on March 4, 1871, $2,990; on March 6, $6,420; June 6, $982; April 7, $4,000; April 13 and 14, $7,500; Oct. 20, $7,750; Nov. 15, $2,000; Nov. 21, $20,000; Dec. 29, $2,000. On May 31, June 1 and 2, 1872, the deposits were short respectively $87 55, $10,092 87, and $12,132 17. On June 3 there was an excess of $12,322 59. On May 31, and June 1, 2, and 3, witness stated, in reply to Mr. Barnard, that there was a deficiency of $9,990. Witness continued to say that on May 31, 1870, the payments made by the Controller to the City Treasurer on account of deficiency certificates amounted to $126,618 40. From Jan. 3 to Jan. 6, there was an apparent excess of $216,250 30. This included money received for the Board of Education, which, when subtracted, reduced the excess of deposits to $68,138 78. Witness continued, in reply to the questions of counsel: "I am acquainted with the handwriting of Mr. Sprague and of M. T. Rodman. I found the entries in the Treasurer's accounts, with few exceptions, in the hand-writing of Mr. Rodman; the tickets of deposits of funds in the Brooklyn Trust Company were in Mr. Rodman's writing; Mr. Rodman, during the time of my examination of the accounts, was Deputy City Treasurer; the books of the City Treasurer were opened in Mr. Rodman's handwriting; Mr. Rodman was Secretary of the Brooklyn Trust Company; the duties of that office are similar to those of a bank cashier; Mr. Rodman gave bonds to the City on entering office." Witness further stated that he had seen the original checks of Mr. Badeau making the payment to the City Treasurer referred to in the evidence of the previous day. He identified two checks—one No. 3,313 on the National City Bank of Brooklyn for $2,004 43, Oct. 10, 1870, by Ex-Collector Badeau, and indorsed by Assistant Collector Gill, and the other for the amount of $11,808 41, paid by the Water Commission to City Treasurer Sprague, Oct. 8, 1870. He was then examined as to a number of those checks drawn by Mr. Badeau and indorsed to Sprague, and said that all these checks appeared to have been paid. None of them seemed to have been protested or paid out of time. Witness' testimony on the previous day had reference, he said, to payments made by the City Treasurer on the dates in respect to which he had been examined. Between those dates inquired about by the prosecution on Monday and those in respect to which he had been then examined, there were many payments concerning which no inquiries had been made. A question now arose as to whether the witness should give the summing up of his own conclusions concerning the series of items leaving an excess in the hands of the Treasurer, and the other series relied upon by the defense showing an excess of deposits, Mr. Barnard, for the defense, and Mr. Van Cott, for the prosecution, submitting opposite views. The evidence was allowed by the court, and the witness requested time to make up the balances which the question involved. His request having been granted, he deposed that, after allowing the Treasurer credit for all deposits to and on the 10th of October, 1870, the balance due by him was $277,872 68. At the close of the 14th the balance was $287,972 43. At the close of the 15th it was the same. At the close of Nov. 11 the balance was increased by $14,197, making a total of $292,189 42. The aggregate of short deposits from Nov. 10 to 28 was $165,665. On Feb. 28, 1871, the balance was $409,717 15 against the Treasurer. On March 1, $410,699 07. At the close of April 5, 1871, it was reduced $2,170. At the close of Oct. 31, 1871, there was a reduction of $20,259 94, making the total balance $388,269 13 against the Treasurer. On the 8th of November there was a deficiency of $37,631 89; total deficiency to date, $425,901 02. At the close of Dec. 7, 1871, there was a reduction of $77,973 80, leaving the balance $347,927 22. No variation, witness stated, occurred between the 25th of May and the 3d of June. On the 1st and 2d of June there was a deficiency of $22,287 76, and on the 3d of June an excess of $12,322 59. At the close of the entire account, on the 15th of September, 1873, the amount unaccounted for is $101,696 44, exclusive of the Board of Education moneys. Witness was next taken through a long array of tickets for deposits made with the Brooklyn Trust Company, nearly all of which, he testified, were in the handwriting of Rodman. The court then adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

THE QUEENS COUNTY SUPERVISORS.

There is considerable discussion among the tax-payers of Queens County, Long Island, on the subject of the purchase of Hog Island as a farm and refuge for the county paupers. This purchase was mainly brought about through the instrumentality of the Queens County Charities Aid Society. The island comprises about 600 acres of land, and the price is $13,500—a part of the purchase money, it is alleged, having been paid by the County Treasurer before the Board of Supervisors had given their sanction. The Overseers of the Poor have been, and still are, opposed to the purchase of the island on the ground that it entails needless and unwarrantable expense. It contains 500 acres of tillable land and meadow. Yesterday the new Board of Supervisors, at the request of the Overseers of the Poor, visited the island for the purpose of making an examination of the buildings, &c., and to determine what was necessary to be done before the removal of the paupers from their present location. On inspection it was found that the buildings, four in number, are in need of extensive repairs, and that when repaired they will accommodate only seventy-five people, leaving ninety-one to be provided for at the present time, with one house for the keeper, and a store-room, no hospital, and but one kitchen. The creek separating the island from the meadow is 400 feet wide, and cannot be spiled on account of the depth of the ooze, and this necessitates the building of a drawbridge, which will cost not less than $10,000, with an additional yearly expense of $1,500 for a keeper and repairs. It is also necessary to construct a roadway across the meadows, which, it is thought, cannot be completed for less than $10,000; while the Superintendents estimate that it will cost $1,500 to transport the paupers from their present location to Hog Island. The general belief among those persons well informed in the matter is that the island, the buildings, the bridge, &c., complete, will cost the County not less than $300,000. The board, after making a careful examination of all the facts, deferred definite action until their next meeting, to be held at Jamaica on the 6th of May.

THREE MEN BURIED ALIVE.

Workmen have been engaged for some time past in grading and widening some of the principal avenues in the village of College Point, Long Island. The embankments formed by the excavations are somewhat high and overhanging, and composed of sand and stones, and have been considerably loosened by the recent heavy rains. Yesterday morning, during a heavy fall of snow and sleet, three of the laborers on the works took refuge from the storm under an overhanging bank of earth. The projection caved in almost immediately, burying the men beneath ten feet of soil. Some men at a distance noticed the motion of the earth, and gave warning to the three, but it came too late. Measures were instantly taken to dig out the unfortunates. One man, named Murdoch, was taken out alive, but a wound on his head will probably cause death. Two others were taken out, one dead, and the other died in a few seconds. The deceased men had large families.

SUICIDE OF EX-CONGRESSMAN BOWNE.

Mr. Obadiah Bowne, Congressman from the First District of New-York in 1848–49, formerly a resident of Fresh Kills, Staten Island, but lately living at the Compton House, Fourth avenue and Twenty-third street, New-York, committed suicide at Staten Island, on Monday night. He left the Compton House on Monday afternoon, and taking the 5 o'clock boat to the island, put up at the Richmond County Hall, Richmond Village. Before going to bed he complained of feeling unwell, and made the remark to some of the guests that he would not live until 12 o'clock the next day. The proprietor of the house, Mr. Hodge, found him dead in his bed yesterday morning, with an empty vial, labeled "laudanum," by the bedside. Coroner Lea was called to hold an inquest, and the jury rendered a verdict to the effect that the deceased committed suicide by taking laudanum. Mr. Bowne was fifty years of age, and was born at Fresh Kills. About the time he was elected to Congress, in 1848, he became possessed of $40,000 through the death of an uncle, and most of this amount was spent for election and other purposes. Soon after his return to private life his father died, leaving him over $300,000. He was married to a Miss Harrison, of Staten Island, but obtained a divorce from her, and was soon afterward married to a Brooklyn lady, who died, when he remarried his first wife, who, at the time of his death, was living with him at the Compton House. Mr. Bowne had run through his entire estate, and died homeless, moneyless, disappointed, and broken-hearted.

MEETING OF ORANGE LODGES.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR CELEBRATING THE 12TH JULY—NO PUBLIC PARADE.

The regular district meeting of Prince of Orange Lodge, No. 1, was held on Monday evening last at the head-quarters, No. 2 Fourth avenue, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing term, and to decide as to the manner in which the anniversary of the 12th of July should be celebrated this year, in this City, by the Orangemen. The attendance of the Masters and officers of the lodges throughout the district was very large. The meeting was called to order by Brother James Hale, D. D. M., in due form, declaring the position of Chairman vacant. Brother Robert Gardiner, State Grand Master, was invited to fill the place *pro tem.*, but he declined in favor of the Supreme Grand Master, Brother J. J. Bond. On taking the chair Brother Bond was saluted with the honors of the order, to which he suitably returned acknowledgments. The election of officers for the district was then proceeded with, in the following order, for the ensuing term:

Brother James Hale, W. M., Derry Walls Lodge, No. 2, District Master. Brother Robert Gardiner, Lodge No. 80, D. D. M.; Brother James P. Smith, D. S.; Brother William McKee, D. T.; Brother James E. Henderson, Foreman of Committee. The officers elect were then installed in the customary manner, and a vote of thanks from the members of the District Lodge was accorded to the outgoing officers. The ancient and highly interesting ceremony of saluting the newly-initiated officers was then performed, and the lodge proceeded to decide in what manner the July anniversaries would be most suitably commemorated. It was urged by some of the members that the mere parading through the streets was not satisfactory, and, in fact, was not approved of by a vast number of Orangemen in the district, or by the Protestant portion of the community while at the same time it was the means of causing unnecessary excitement and trouble to the City authorities. The right of the members of the Orange Order to parade through the streets as other citizens belonging to different societies, was admitted, and notwithstanding the attempts of the opposite party to outrage this liberty, the authorities, civil and military, had given them protection in this, the exercise of their rights and liberties. It was, therefore, much better if the District Lodge would decide as to some other mode of celebration. After considerable discussion it was resolved that no procession be held, that the members of the different lodges assemble at the head-quarters of the District Lodge on Sunday, July 12, and without regalia or insignia of the order, proceed in a body to church, the edifice to be decided upon by the district committee; that on the following day the members of the order have a picnic to Iona Island. Two steam-boats and four barges are to be engaged for the excursion, and it is expected the celebration of the anniversary will be participated in largely by the Orangemen and Protestant community. A committee of one from each lodge in the Prince of Orange District was then appointed to confer with the orders of A. P. and A. P. A., and make arrangements. A sub-committee, consisting of six, was then added from No Surrender District, No. 8, to assist. It was announced that this celebration would be strictly a temperance one, and no intoxicating liquors will be allowed to be used under any consideration. The lodge was then closed in due form.

A NEW METHOD FOR THE CURE OF INTEMPERANCE.

A free temperance lecture, entitled "The Errors and Failures of the National Temperance Society, and the Means by which the Scourge of Intemperance may be Effectually Removed," written by Rev. D. R. Thomason, was delivered last evening by Mr. Charles Roberts, Jr. In his opening remarks, the speaker severely criticised the modes and arguments employed by the National Temperance Society, and said that, on its present foundation, temperance reform was a sham. The absurdity of the Biblical theories, and the discrimination between fermented and unfermented wines, as propounded by them, is but too apparent. The vine is one of God's gifts. The Divine Bounty-giver is jealous of his gifts, and will not have them trifled with. Because it is undeniable truth that Christ sanctioned the moderate use of wine, our temperance warriors are sparing of his name or allusions to his life in their arguments. The persecuting spirit of teetotalism was manifest in the attack upon Dr. Crosby, who, because he delivered a sermon imbued with sound common sense, was called an advocate of tippling and a fashionable lover of strong drink. Also in the steps that were proposed to be taken to prevent the renomination of Gov. Dix because he would not violate the oath of his office by signing a Prohibitory bill last year. A prohibitory law the people will not obey, and were it adopted it would be evaded every hour of the day. Adulteration and drunkenness should be the subject of the law's penalty. A cat may be beaten until it is afraid to steal any more cream. The drunkard should be terrified into an obedience of the laws governing temperance in this way. Disfranchise the intemperate man from his rights as a citizen on first complaint. On the second complaint let him be condemned to sweep the streets, and on the third complaint compel him to wear an iron collar, that will be symbolical of his vice. Put rich men and the poor and degraded together, and make of them a brace of scavengers. The necessity for cautioning the ladies not to persuade their gentlemen friends to take wine on New-Year's Day will then be no longer essential, for, of course, they would not like to see their "dear Augustus" in charge of a policeman shoveling snow next morning.

POSTAL FACILITIES BETWEEN BOSTON AND THIS CITY.

A plan is now under consideration by Postmaster Bush, of Boston, and Postmaster James, of this City, whereby the present cumbrous and disconnected mode of mail transportation between Boston, New-York, and Washington is to be superseded by a rapid and satisfactory system, insuring the punctual distribution and delivery of the great mails now wont to accumulate at each of those points, sometimes for days together. The plan includes a through mail, leaving Washington at 1 P. M., Baltimore at 3 P. M., Philadelphia at 6:30 P. M., and New-York at 10:40 P. M., allowing ample time for the transfer of mails and passengers to the New-York and New-Haven terminus at the Grand Central Depot, where a train for Boston, leaving precisely at midnight, is to be in readiness. This, it is considered, will be a great improvement on the present arrangement, by which passengers reach Boston at the inconvenient hour of 6 A. M. The return train is to leave Boston at 3 P. M., by way of Worcester, Springfield and New-Haven, arriving at this City at 11:30 P. M.; thence from Jersey City at 12:30 or 1 A. M., (allowing, as in the previous case, ample time for the transfer of passengers and mails) to Philadelphia by 5 A. M., and lastly arriving in Washington at 10 A. M., making the transit of passengers and mail between Boston and the national capital in nineteen hours. This plan leaves three of the most valuable hours in the day (10 A. M. to 1 P. M.) at the traveler's service before the return train for the North, and at the same time introduces a speed, simplicity and accuracy into the postal service of the Eastern sea-board, to which it has long been a stranger.

THE 'LONGSHOREMEN.

A rumor having been circulated that a large number of 'longshoremen were out of employment, a TIMES reporter visited the docks along South street yesterday to see whether such was the case. He was told both by the employers and the men that work was abundant for good men who really wanted to work. A stevedore, who employs from 175 to 500, men per week said that for the last six months the men employed by them had averaged fully $17 per week, and that last week some of their men made as much as $40. The presence of groups of men on the corners is said to be no sign of lack of work for the 'longshoremen, as many of the idlers are transient persons who come into the City to get a job, but who are not competent for want of skill to do the work required by the stevedores.

FLATLANDS NECK (LONG ISLAND) GAME CLUB.

A club under the above title was organized yesterday with the following officers: John A. Wyckoff, President; John O. Lott, Vice President; C. Kowenhoven, Secretary; P. G. Kowenhoven, Treasurer. The club has the proprietorship of some 300 acres of meadow, woodland, &c., and the brook known as Bedford Creek. They have made immediate arrangements for stocking the brook with trout, and also to put on some 200 or more quail. The grounds are situated in Districts Nos. 2 and 3 of Flatlands, comprising Flatland's Neck and part of Canarsie adjoining.

MEETING OF THE POLICE JUSTICES.

The Board of Police Justices met late yesterday afternoon, and, by a vote of 6 to 4, decided to remove Joseph A. Kenyon, Clerk at Essex Market Court, who was charged with irregular practices in receiving fines without being duly authorized to do so. The action of the board did not decide on Mr. Kenyon's guilt or innocence, but merely expressed the opinion of the board that his retention in office was not desirable. Mr. Richard Hamilton was appointed Chief Clerk of the Sixth District Court.

CITY AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

NEW-YORK.

Wilbour, Tweed's right-hand man and factotum, has gone to Europe to spend "from three to five years."

The first annual exhibition of St. Peter's Male School was held last evening in the Sunday-school hall in Barclay street.

An unknown man was found lying dead in the gutter in front of No. 413 West 17th street. His death evidently resulted from intemperance.

A number of the ocean steamers which sailed on Saturday were detained in the lower bay until Sunday, owing to the heavy weather outside.

A musical and literary entertainment was given last evening in the Church of the Strangers, Greene street, by the Temperance Union Prayer-meeting.

The revenue steamer McCulloch was sold yesterday, at the Government wharf, Staten Island. Mr. McRoberts purchased the craft and her gear and apparel for $11,000.

Controller Green reports the receipts and disbursements of his department for yesterday as follows: Payments, $1,513,289 55; receipts from all sources, $20,631 70.

The Atlantic Savings Bank will remove to-morrow to its new building, corner of Bond street and the Bowery, and will in future be called the Bond Street Savings Bank.

In the Court of Special Sessions, yesterday, Michael McLaughlin was fined $15 for kicking his horse in the abdomen and beating him violently on the head with an iron rod.

The Corporation Counsel has sent a communication to the Mayor, reciting that in his opinion the Board of Supervisors have not complied with the laws in relation to leasing armories.

The glove fight between Joe Coburn and Wm. Clarke for $1,000 and the championship of the gloves will come off to-morrow evening at Washington Riding Academy, Sixth avenue and Twenty-sixth street.

The students of the College of the City of New-York held yesterday their Spring regatta on the Harlem River. The fleet consisted of twenty boats, led by the flag-boat Rebecca, Commodore Manfred C. Carroll.

On to-morrow evening an amateur dramatic entertainment will be given at Robinson Hall, Fifteenth street, for the benefit of the Orphan Asylum of the House of the Good Shepherd, near Haverstraw, on the Hudson.

Moritz Meyer, No. 403 East Fifty-fifth street, died yesterday morning from the effects of Paris green, which he took with suicidal intent. He had been out of employment for a long time and was penniless and despondent.

The Superintendent of Police recommends that the Seneca be employed to cruise night and day in the harbor, and that a calcium light be provided for her. Also that the number of row-boats for the river Police be increased.

In consequence of the escape of the convict Russell from Randall's Island, Warden Liscomb, of Blackwell's Island, reported to the Board of Charities and Correction, yesterday, that he had placed an additional guard on the exposed point.

Judge Loew, yesterday, granted an alternative writ of mandamus against Controller Green, on the return to which, cause is to be shown why James L. Smith, of the *Courier*, should not be paid $818 for advertising Sheriffs' notices of election.

In the Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday James Purvis, indicted for the murder of Isaac Henderson, a colored man, was allowed to plead guilty to murder in the second degree. The prisoner, who is but twenty years old, was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

The remains of Rev. Ornan Eastman, of the American Tract Society, were interred yesterday in Woodlawn Cemetery. The preliminary services were conducted in the Church of the Covenant, Thirty-fifth street and Park avenue, Rev. Dr. Vincent officiating.

The American Geographical Society will be represented at the millennial celebration in Iceland by Dr. Hayes, the Arctic explorer. Dr. Hayes will take his departure from this port about June 1, and leave Dundee, Scotland, in a vessel specially chartered for the voyage to Iceland.

George Kiernan and William Chrystie were committed, in default of $1,500 bail, yesterday, by Justice Otterbourg, at Essex Market Police Court, on a charge of breaking into the factory of Henry Lohman, No. 243 Bowery, and stealing therefrom $20 worth of telescopes.

The investigation by the United States Local Inspectors of this port into the cause of the collision between the steamer Granite State and the tug-boat Viven, which occurred 7th September last, off Hallett's Point, East River, resulted in exonerating Capt. Peck, of the Granite State, from all blame.

The Olivet Helping Hand Association celebrated its anniversary at Olivet Chapel, Second street, yesterday. The Directress of the association, Mrs. Jessup, presided over the ceremonies. After the conclusion of religious exercises a lunch was served up to the pensioners of the association.

The annual dinner of the Chamber of Commerce will be given at Delmonico's, at 6 o'clock to-morrow evening. The arrangements are being made under direction of a committee consisting of Wm. E. Dodge, George Opdyke, W. M. Vermilye, S. D. Babcock, Solon Humphreys, Francis L. Lathrop, and George Wilson.

The property-owners of the Eighteenth Ward have protested against the order of the Board of Health which requires that each house be furnished with two boxes or tubs lined with metal, one for garbage and the other for ashes. The committee which waited on the Board of Police Commissioners on the subject, reported last night that the boxes must be provided in order to avoid arrest or fine.

In the proceeding to obtain a peremptory mandamus to compel Auditor Earle to allow the claim of Levi S. Stockwell for armory rent, the facts of which have already appeared in THE TIMES, Judge Lawrence rendered a decision, yesterday, allowing an alternative writ, on the return to which, he says, the fraud in the transaction alleged on the part of the City, can be deliberately tried and disposed of.

Rev. William F. Sabine has resigned the rectorship of the Church of the Atonement, withdrawn from the Episcopal, and joined the Reformed Church, of which Right Rev. George D. Cummins is the presiding Bishop. Rev. Mr. Sabine has accepted the pastorate of the First Reformed Episcopal Church, and will officiate, on Sunday next, at church corner Madison avenue and Forty-seventh street.

Mrs. Eleanor Fletcher Bishop, yesterday, made application to Justice Morgan at the Tombs for the arrest of one S. A. Goldstein, a clerk in the employ of her late husband, Nathaniel C. Bishop, whom she charged with breaking open a desk in her husband's office in Pine street. Justice Morgan refused the application, and referred the matter to the Surrogate, who, it is understood, will take immediate action in the matter.

At a meeting of the Pilot Commissioners, held yesterday afternoon, the case of Pilot Isaac Campbell, of the ship Puritan, was brought up for examination. It was ascertained that there was a general panic on board the vessel at the time of the disaster, but owing to the non-appearance of the Captain, who was summoned, but failed to respond, the full facts of the case were not elicited. The pilot was suspended during the pleasure of the board.

At a meeting of the shareholders of the New-York Society Library, held last evening at the Library Building, University place, the following Trustees were elected for the ensuing year: Frederic De Peyster, Otis D. Swan, William J. Hoppin, Wm. Adams, Charles R. Swords, Evert A. Duyckinck, Henry C. Dorr, Charles E. Strong, Stephen P. Nash, Robert Lenox Kennedy, Edward Schell, Frederick Sheldon, John L. Cadwalader, Henry Drisler, and Richard E. Mount.

The trial of Detective Patrick J. Leahy was commenced in the Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday. After the impaneling of the jury, District Attorney Phelps opened the case for the prosecution. He cited the facts of the murder in detail, as published at the time of the tragedy. In commenting on the atrocity of the crime, he said the case was of great importance, as it involved the right of the citizen to safety in his own household, as well as the proper administration of justice in the pursuit of criminals. Mrs. McNamara, the widow of the dead man, and Mrs. Mary Murphy, who was in the room at the time of the shooting, were the only important witnesses examined. The case will be continued to-day.

BROOKLYN.

County Treasurer Gardener yesterday disposed of $634,000 worth of county bonds.

A concert will be given at the Tabernacle Baptist Church on Thursday evening in aid of the ladies' fund for repairing the church.

The congregation of Classon Avenue Church signalized the celebration of their Pastor's (Dr. Duryea) silver wedding by raising his salary $1,000.

Patrick L. Quinn, private detective at the Park Theatre, and late detective at Police Headquarters, died suddenly of heart disease last night. He was taken home to his residence, No. 163 Gates avenue.

James McIlroy, a workman in Pratt's Oil Works, had his hands burned yesterday morning by the sudden explosion of a still from which oil was being run off. The damage otherwise done by the explosion was trifling.

Coroner Whitehill has sent a number of men to clear away the débris of the building which fell in Stockton street on Friday morning, that the jury may see for themselves the foundation upon which the house was built.

Aldermen Bergen and Fisher complain that the streets of the Tenth and Twenty-third Wards are in a very unclean condition, and the Mayor has promised to refuse his signature to the warrants for the pay of the negligent contractors.

Judge Neilson yesterday morning approved the security bond of the Trustees of the Grand Street M. P. Church in the case against Rev. T. T. Kendrick, and continued his order for the issues to be tried before Ex-Judge Greenwood as Referee.

The argument on the motion to strike out a portion of the answer in the suit brought by Caroline V. Spencer for limited divorce from her husband, Thos. T. Spencer, was concluded yesterday morning, before Judge Neilson, who reserved his decision.

Treasurer Cunningham makes the following statement of the city finances for the week ending April 25: Balance on hand April 18, $2,926,378 81; receipts during the week, $120,727 03; total, $3,047,105 84; warrants paid, $85,233 89; balance on hand, $2,961,871 95.

Herman Bostrom was arrested yesterday in a suit for breach of promise of marriage brought against him by Helena Larson, in which the damages are laid at $10,000. Both parties are Swedes, who recently arrived in this country. The alleged promise to marry was made at sea.

Mrs. Mary Ann Weston, widow of the late John D. Weston, for whose murder Emil Lowenstein was recently executed at Albany, applied yesterday morning in the Surrogate's Court for letters of administration on her husband's estate, which was estimated at $100. The application was granted.

S. E. Lawrence, recently arrested on a charge of bigamy while on board a European steamer bound for Liverpool, was yesterday discharged by Justice Church, at Fort Hamilton, his wife being unable to prove the alleged second marriage. He was immediately rearrested, and held on a charge of abandonment.

Mr. Wm. T. Goodwin, President of the Handel and Haydn Society, announces that the benefit recently given for Samuel Priestly Taylor, the oldest organist in the country, realized $326, of which Mr. Taylor received $125, the difference being the amount of expense incurred. The largest item of expenditure was $115 for Plymouth Church.

Eleven of the forty-one liquor dealers from whom Mrs. Ann Ingraham purchased brandy during the past two Sundays, were before the Commissioners of Excise yesterday. Mrs. Ingraham testified that in each case she sent her son, Fred., to purchase the brandy in a bottle. Two of the defendants had their licenses revoked, five of the cases were adjourned, and in four cases judgment was suspended.

Wm. Keegan, Wm. Jones, and Lawrence Lacy, three desperate roughs, belonging to a well-known gang of South Brooklyn highwaymen, were committed for trial by Justice Delmar, yesterday, on a charge of assaulting and attempting to rob a man named Christian Miller on Court street. Miller's cries for help brought a number of citizens to his aid, who succeeded in surrounding and capturing the highwaymen.

Judge Pratt, in the Supreme Court, Special Term, yesterday, granted an injunction restraining certain of the inhabitants of Hempstead village from polluting the water in the various streams which supply the reservoir, and also an order directing them to show cause why the injunction shall not be continued during the pendency of a suit which has been commenced by the city against the inhabitants referred to. The defendants are mill-owners and members of the Hempstead Gas-light Company.

The Brooklyn Mutual Photographic Association met last evening for the purpose of hearing the report of the special committee appointed to consider the best means of forming a National Photo-Art Association. The committee reported in favor of issuing a general call to all the photographers in the Union, asking them to unite in the establishment of a national protective society. A mass-meeting, to take further action toward forwarding the scheme, will be held in New-York next week.

LONG ISLAND.

At the charter election of the village of Jamaica, held yesterday, John Fleming, Daniel Smith, and George Creed were elected Trustees; James J. Brenton Treasurer, and Pierpont Potter Clerk.

On Monday evening the Wardens and Vestrymen of the new Episcopal Church at Richmond Hill were elected, as follows: Wardens—Robert Fash and O. B. Fowler. Vestrymen—W. N. Crane, William Kessler, W. Gross, O. W. Graves, John R. Newcomb, George E. Newcomb, George Bidgood, and Charles Fleury.

The Sammis brothers were arraigned Monday in Suffolk County Court upon the charges of riot, assault and battery and murder, at Huntington, last Fall of Charles G. Kelsey. The prisoners pleaded not guilty. Royal Sammis and George P. Banks pleaded not guilty to the indictment for assault and battery, and the trial is set down for the third Monday in May.

NEW-JERSEY.

The new City Government of Belleville organized Monday night, by the election of O. H. Perry as President of the Common Council, and H. B. Marchbank as City Clerk.

The Health Officer of Hastings-on-Hudson writes to THE TIMES as follows: "Our unwelcome visitor, Small-pox, has left us, and our village is as healthy and as free from any infectious diseases as before."

A little girl named Smith fell into a cistern in Newark, Monday night, and would have been drowned but for the efforts of Officers Smith and Ryan, of the Second Precinct, who succeeded in fishing her out after considerable trouble. She remained unconscious for nearly an hour.

The trial of Robert N. Woodworth, late President of the New-Brunswick State Bank, on a charge of defrauding the bank, was commenced in the Middlesex County Oyer and Terminer yesterday. Hon. Leon Abbett appeared as his counsel. The trial began at 2 o'clock, and most of the day was consumed in an effort to procure a jury.

A peripatetic glazier who was employed to put some panes of glass in the windows of Mr. Hoff's house at Union Hill, yesterday, stole a watch, some clothing, and a quantity of jewelry. He was captured by Mr. Hoff and his gardener at the Weehawken Ferry, but they contented themselves with taking the goods away from him and letting him go.

Yesterday morning counsel for the indicted Newark officials and contractors, now on trial in the Essex County Courts for conspiracy to defraud the city, made a motion to take the case from the jury, on the ground that no evidence has been produced to warrant a conviction. The court denied the motion, and the case was opened for the defense. It is still in progress.

A little girl named Maggie S. Lowerhill, whose parents reside in Oldham, died of hydrophobia at a late hour Monday night. She was bitten by a mad dog about five weeks ago, but up to Sunday no evil effects resulted. On that day, however, the sight of water almost threw her into convulsions, and she suffered excruciating agony until relieved by death.

In the Middlesex Court of Oyer and Terminer, before Judge Scudder, yesterday, the Woodworth conspiracy case, which was set down for yesterday, was called. Woodworth was present, but without counsel, and made application to have his trial postponed. The court said that as the prisoner was without counsel it would grant a postponement, and ordered Woodworth to furnish new bail. His old bondsmen became his sureties.

A strolling band of German musicians while in North Bergen, yesterday, became engaged in an alteration, during which one of their number named Hansen, received a severe blow on the head with a heavy brass instrument, and it is supposed that his skull was fractured. He was taken to a hotel, and attended by two physicians, who pronounce his wounds serious. The remainder of the band proceeded to New-York before the authorities became aware of the fracas.

A warrant was issued yesterday for the arrest of Peter Walters, a Newark contractor, on a charge of cruelty to animals. He is accused of having five horses locked up in a stable for several days without food or drink, while he has been indulging in an extended spree. Two of the animals, in the extremity of their hunger, gnawed their way out of the stables, and could not be found by an officer of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, who went to their relief.

Joseph Clowes, a well-known resident of Jersey City, died of pneumonia, yesterday morning, at the age of sixty-six years. Deceased was connected with the Jersey City Ferry as ferry-master and Assistant Superintendent for the past forty years, and in that time by industry and economy he succeeded in accumulating a very handsome fortune. The flags on the ferry-boats were displayed at half-mast yesterday in consequence of his death. The remains will be taken to Green-Wood Cemetery for interment, but the arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

THE SALOON-KEEPERS.

The German saloon-keepers in the Twelfth, Seventeenth, and Twentieth Wards held meetings yesterday to complete their newly-formed protective organizations and discuss the question of legislation in excise matters. The prospect to obtain the adoption of the amendments to the Excise law in the interest of the beer retail trade and a reduction of the license fee on beer was in no way found to be encouraging, and the meeting came to the conclusion that they must content themselves with the law as it stands at least for another year. Organizations have been formed by the saloon-keepers in nearly every ward in this City, whose principal object in the future will be to operate with a view of insuring protection against ice monopolies and against oppressive and exacting brewers.

HAVANA MARKETS.

HAVANA, April 28.—Sugar—No. 12 Dutch Standard, 18½@19 reals ⅌ arrobe. Exchange quiet and weak; on the United States, 60 days, currency, 108@109 premium; short sight, 112@113 premium; 60 days, gold, 133@134 premium; short sight, 137@138 premium; on London, 164@165 premium; on Paris, 134@135 premium. Spanish Gold, 238@240.

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.

CHICAGO, April 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 28,000; moderately active; prices steady; sales of fair to good Steers at $5@$5 40; choice to extra, $5 50@$6 25; shipments, 2,600. Live Hogs dull; receipts, 13,000; market lower for any but choice lots, which are steady; sales of inferior to fine at $4 75@$5 25; good to extra at $5 35@$5 75; shipments, 7,500. Sheep dull and unchanged; receipts, 560.

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PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

In steam-ship Baltic, from Liverpool.—Mr. Grant, Mrs. Grant, Miss Norris, Mrs. A. M. Krell, Mrs. Wheelwright and servant, W. Muller, Mr. Seiki, A. Taga, J. Barnett, H. F. Sherman, Mrs. H. F. Sherman, infant, and nurse, two servants, Miss H. L. Sherman, Miss Florence Sherman, Miss N. Beckitt, Chas. Myers, C. A. Duff Miller, Geo. B. Curtis, A. B. Wood, P. B. Serjeantson, J. E. De Haven, Mrs. J. E. De Haven, Miss J. De Haven, Miss L. Bock, A. Norton, H. F. Gillig, Thos. Powell, Mr. Heinemann, H. W. Goldring, R. C. Bowness, J. Crossdale, Wm. Gillespie, J. Read, J. G. Avery, W. Jones, F. A. Sand, J. G. Danks, Mrs. Morgan, Robert Blair, Arthur Pressey, Geo. A. Scott, Col. Blanton Duncan, Mrs. Blanton Duncan, Miss Kate Duncan, Miss G. Duncan, Mrs. Johnson, Master Johnson, W. H. Ward, Mrs. M. G. Rosenthal, Mrs. A. Thompson, Miss N. Thompson, A. H. Thompson, Capt. Rynd, S. M. Clarke, Mrs. S. M. Clarke, Miss Mary Mason, Mrs. L. L. Hyatt, L. J. E. Archer Burton, J. H. Archer Burton, Capt. F. McDonough and friend, Master Hy. Mackie, D. C. Fabronius, Mrs. D. C. Fabronius, Mrs. J. Kelly, Miss Kelly, Wm. Chalmers, H. Bowlby Wilson, Mr. Bell's two servants.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises.....5:02 | Sun sets.....6:54 | Moon sets..4:16

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook..6:01 | Gov. Island..6:50 | Hell Gate..8:12

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK........TUESDAY, April 28.

CLEARED.

Steam-ships Wisconsin, (Br.,) Freeman, Liverpool, Williams & Guion; Crescent City, Curtis, Havana, Wm. P. Clyde & Co.; Old Dominion, Walker, Norfolk, City Point, and Richmond, Old Dominion Steam-ship Co.; Mayflower, Fults, Philadelphia, J. Hand; Mediator, Smith, Baltimore, Lorillard Steam-ship Co.

Ships Tamesa, (Br.,) Jones, London, E. Arkell, Tufts & Co.; Enoch Train, (Br.,) Fullerton, Liverpool, Henderson Brothers.

Barks Teresa, (Br.,) Wallace, Clenfuegos, J. & G. Fowler & Co.; Sea, (Aust.,) Schmercenech, Bristol, E. Slocovich & Co.; Impero, (Br.,) Fulton, Antwerp, J. F. Whitney & Co.; Sylira W. Swasey, Nichols, Cardenas, J. E. Ward & Co.; Koncordia, (Norw.,) Wolback, Antwerp, Funch, Edye & Co.; John Campbell, (Br.,) Hankinson, Hamburg, J. W. Elwell & Co.; San Luigi (Ital.,) Trapani, Alloa, (Scotland,) A. P. Agresta; Busy, Linden, Rio de Janeiro, J. E. Ward & Co.

Brigs Primo, (Ital.,) Cacace, Gibraltar, J. C. Seager; Brothers, (Br.,) Kenzie, Halifax, N. S., D. R. DeWolf & Co.; John Swan, Rumball, Cadiz, Hand & Swan; Maria Fanny, (Aust.,) Randich, Belfast, Slocovich & Co.

ARRIVED.

Steam-ship Republic, (Br.,) Gleadell, Liverpool April 16, via Queenstown 17th, with mdse. and passengers to R. J. Cortis. April 19, lat. 50 38, lon. 21 40, passed an American showing J. M. Q. L., Commercial Code, bound E.; 23d, at noon, lat. 45 00, lon. 44 00, passed several icebergs, at the same time, an Anchor and an Allan steamer bound E.

Steam-ship San Jacinto, Hazard, Savannah April 25, with mdse. and passengers to W. R. Garrison.

Steam-ship Vindicator, Martin, Baltimore, with mdse. and passengers to Lorillard Steam-ship Co.

Steam-ship Isaac Bell, Blakemen, Richmond, City Point, and Norfolk, with mdse. and passengers to Old Dominion Steam-ship Company.

Steam-ship Benefactor, Jones, Wilmington, N. C., 3 ds., with naval stores, &c. to Lorillard Steam-ship Co.

Steam-ship Louise, (Span.,) ——, New-London, for Havana.

Ship Caernarvon Castle, (of London,) Smith, Calcutta Jan. 23, and Sands Head 25th, with mdse. to E. E. Morgan's Sons. Feb. 1, lat. 2 N., lon. 87 E., spoke ship Florentine, (Br.,) from Montevideo for Rangoon, 73 ds. out; Feb. 26, lat. 29 S., lon. 54 E., ship Gaspee, from Calcutta for Boston; March 21, off St. Helena, British ships Russia and Trowbridge, from Calcutta for London and Dundee.

Bark Golden Fleece, (of Barbados,) Armstrong, St. Pierre, Mart., 13 ds., with sugar and molasses to H. Trowbridge's Sons.

Bark Glamorganshire, (of London,) Morgan, Hong Kong Jan. 23, with teas, &c., to A. A. Low & Bro.

Bark Rhea, (Ger.,) Wielserman, Hamburg via Plymouth 56 ds., with empty barrels to Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Geo. Esson, (of Halifax,) Foster, Montevideo 52 ds., with hides and wool to order—vessel to Geo. H. Brewer.

Bark Huron, (of Halifax,) Irving, Cienfuegos 14 ds., with sugar and molasses to Brugiere & Aviles. April 24, Michael Morse, seaman, a native of Germany, aged twenty-two years, died of consumption and was buried at sea.

Bark Mary Stewart, (of St. John, N. B.,) Pennery, Matanzas 9 ds., with sugar to Brown Bros. & Co.—vessel to Heney & Parker.

Bark Minion, (Norw.,) Andersen, Minititlan, Mexico, 22 ds., with cedar to order—vessel to C. Tobias & Co. Was 7 ds. N. of Hatteras, with strong variable gales.

Bark Medea, (German,) Bradhering, Montevideo 84 ds., with hides and wool to order, vessel to C. Tobias & Co.

Bark Erna, (Norw.,) Andersen, Plymouth, Eng., 40 ds., in ballast to C. Tobias & Co. Was 28 ds. W. of the Banks with strong westerly gales.

Brig Anna Maria, (of Salcomb,) Thornton, Santos, via Hampton Roads, 52 ds., with coffee to Wright, Brown & Co.—vessel to Geo. F. Bulley.

Brig Alice Starrett, (of Halifax,) Tooker, Port Caledonia, C. B., April 16, with coal to Bird, Perkins & Job—vessel to C. W. Berteaux.

Brig Renshaw, Sylvester, Zaza 18 ds., with sugar to Yznaga, Del Valle & Co. April 18, in the Straits of Florida, passed ship Jacob A. Stamler, from New Orleans for Liverpool.

Brig Juror, (of St. John's, N. F.,) Walters, Pernambuco via Hampton Roads, with Sugar to H. H. Swift & Co.—vessel to Bowring & Archibald.

Brig Robert McR. Spearing, (of Quebec,) Hiller, Cienfuegos 16 ds., with sugar to Jova & Co.

Brig Gambia, (of Bucksport,) Gilley, Havana 14 ds., with sugar to Charles Luling & Co.—vessel to R. P. Buck & Co.

Brig Morning Star, (of Parrsboro, N. S.,) Macomber, Cette 78 ds., with wine, &c., to C. W. Berteaux.

Schr. Palos, (of Eastport,) Shackford, Sagua 10 ds., with molasses to H. W. Swift & Co.—vessel to John Boynton's Son.

Schr. Altavella, (of Ellsworth,) Hawkins, St. Vincent 13 ds., with old iron, sugar, &c., to Middleton & Co.—vessel to Warren Kay.

Schr. Leonessa, (of Rockland,) Myer, Havana 14 ds., with sugar to E. D. Morgan & Co., vessel to H. P. Brown & Co.

Schr. Harry White, (of Bucksport,) Hodkins, Point-a-Pitre, Guad., 11 ds., with sugar to H. A. Vatable & Son—vessel to Miller & Houghton.

Schr. May McFarland, (new, of Thomaston,) McFarland, Darien, Ga., 6 ds., with lumber to S. C. Loud & Co.

Schr. J. Simonson, Crawford, Cardenas 7 ds., with sugar and molasses to Moses Taylor & Co.

Schr. A. F. Kindberg, Thomas, Virginia, for New-Haven.

Schr. Charlie Miller, Jones, Virginia, for New-Haven.

Schr. Helen P. Jones, Virginia, for New-Haven.

Schr. S. P. Hall, (of Bucksport,) Chipman, Humacoa, P. R., 12 ds., with sugar and molasses to order—vessel to R. P. Buck & Co.

Schr. M. E. Turner, Camp, Virginia.

Schr. Birch & Torrey, Carter, Portland, with lumber to S. C. Loud & Co.

Schr. Marcelus, Sawyer, Ellsworth, with lumber for Rondout.

Schr. Henry Remsen, Allen, Providence.

Schr. J. H. Bartlett, Lord, Providence, for Philadelphia.

Schr. Philadelphia, (of Philadelphia,) Bowman, Porto Cabello 18 ds., with coffee to Dallet, Bliss & Co.—vessel to Overton & Hawkins.

Schr. L. F. Warren, Johnson, Demerara 19 ds., with sugar to J. Leaycraft & Co.—vessel to Miller & Houghton.

Schr. Addie Fuller, Henderson, Savannah 8 ds., with yellow pine to J. W. Russel & Co., vessel to S. C. Loud & Co.

Schr. S. V. W. Simmons, Williams, Jacksonville 10 ds., with pine to Alsop & Clark, vessel to Evans, Ball & Co.

Schr. Mabel Thomas, Randall, Baltimore, for New-Haven.

Schr. Vapor, Appleton, Georgetown, D. C.

Schr. Theodore Dean, Babitt, Georgetown, D. C.

Schr. A. H. Howe, Newbury, Georgetown, D. C.

Schr. J. A. Curtis, Quillin, Richmond, Va.

Schr. Actress, Hodgdon, Boston.

Schr. Storm King, Golden, Provincetown.

Schr. Rowena Arabella, Provincetown.

Schr. Onward, Goram, Nantucket.

Schr. Edward Slade, Soper, Virginia.

Schr. Mary Frances, Hale, Virginia.

Schr. Hannah Little, Ingersoll, Virginia.

Schr. K. R. Waters, Waters, Virginia, for Fairhaven.

Schr. S. E. Jayne, Hawkins, Virginia.

Schr. M. A. Burr, Arnold, Virginia.

Schr. Jas. Veldran, Cavalier, Virginia.

Schr. C. P. Stickney, Mathews, Virginia.

Schr. Woodruff Sims, Paro, Virginia.

Schr. H. M. Hewes, Howes, Baltimore.

Schr. K. J. Hoyt, Arnold, Baltimore.

Schr. Carrie Holmes, Fleming, Baltimore.

Schr. W. H. Kenzel, Soper, Baltimore.

Schr. H. A. Hoyt, Crane, Baltimore.

Schr. H. W. Godfrey, Jarman, Jacksonville 10 ds., with pine to Alsop & Clark—vessel to Slaght & Petty.

Sloop M. A. Hayward, Strong, Virginia.

Schr. M. E. McHale, Hall, Richmond, Va.

Schr. Cordelia Newkirk, Huntley, Alexandria.

Schr. Helen Hasbrouck, Soper, Alexandria.

Schr. Lillie Faulkenburg, Faulkenburg, Alexandria.

Schr. H. J. Raymond, Cramer, Virginia.

Schr. Maria & Elizabeth, Soper, Virginia.

Schr. Barbara, Hedden, Virginia.

Schr. R. C. A. Ward, Crane, Virginia.

Schr. J. P. Cake, Sawyer, Virginia.

Schr. Alexander Wiley, Beauchamp, Virginia.

Schr. Moonlight, Rogers, Virginia.

Schr. Benj. S. Wright, Ryder, Providence, for Virginia.

Schr. R. J. Raynor, Mitchell, Providence.

Schr. Robert Pettis, Ellis, Providence.

Schr. Sarah Bruen, Austin, Providence, for Elizabethport.

Schr. J. H. Young, Barrett, Pawtucket.

Schr. Henry Lemuel, Davis, New-Haven.

Schr. W. H. Rowe, Whitemore, Boston, for Philadelphia.

Schr. Geo. W. Whistler, Crosby, Boston, for Philadelphia.

Schr. J. A. Lewis, Hopkins, Virginia.

Schr. Isle of Pines, Steelman, Virginia.

Schr. Sarah Quinn, Lee, Virginia.

SAILED—Steam-ships Wisconsin, for Liverpool; California, for Glasgow; Crescent City, for Havana; Old Dominion, for Norfolk.

WIND—Sunset, N. E.; raining.

BY TELEGRAPH.

BALTIMORE, April 28.—Arr. steamers James A. Gary, from Newbern, N. C.; John W. Garrett, from New-York; Josephine Thompson, from New-York, and John S. Shriver, from Philadelphia. Bark Prospero Padre, from London. Schrs. Hattie Baker, from Cardenas; C. C. Lane, from New-Haven; A. Denike, from New-York; Charlie Woolsey, from New-London; Addie P. Avery, from New-Haven; Oliver Scofield, from New-Haven; Elias Moore and A. E. Moore, from New-York.

Cld. steamer Wm. Woodward, for New-Orleans, and Richard Willing, for Philadelphia; barks Pantser and Fraternitas, for Queenstown or Falmouth; Ethan Ellen, for Madeira; Lydia Cardell, for Bristol, Eng.; Zie Gorgio, for Hull; Elverhoi, for Montevide; and Sarah E. Frazier, for the West Indies; brig Geo. Labimer, for Ponce; schrs. Pesalces, for the West Indies, Lizzie Roon, for Nassau, Geo. E. Thatcher, Addie Blaisdell, Taylor and Matthias; Bill Stowe, A. D. Henderson, and Louisa Bliss, for Boston, and Anthony S. Buck for New-York.

Sld. bark Ahbs, for Queenstown.

BOSTON, April 28.—Arr. steamer Panther, from Philadelphia, and brig Mary C. Rosevelt, from Ship Island.

GALVESTON, April 28.—Arr. steamer City of Waco, New-York; bark Hebert, and schr. Mary D. Ireland, from Liverpool.

LEWES, Del., April 28.—The steamer Indiana, from Liverpool, for Philadelphia, passed in at 11 o'clock this forenoon.

NEW-ORLEANS, April 28.—Cld. steamers City of Dallas, for New-York; Texas, for Liverpool; barks Caroline, for Rotterdam; Mercur, for Narva; brig Maid of Genevern, for Malaga.

South-west Pass, sld. steamer Frankfurt, ships Astronom and Exporter, brig Nellie Husted.

On the Bar, bound out, steamer Rita.

SAVANNAH, April 28.—Arr. steam-ship Saragossa, from Baltimore; brig Abby Thaxter, from Belfast; schr. E. S. Gildersleeve, from New-York.

Cld. schr. Eliza Bennet, for Port Orange, Fla.

Sld. barks Arrocan, for Doboy; Nardjyn, for London. Schrs. C. C. Bease and David Ames are at Tybee, having put in for a harbor.

And cld. brig Abbie Ellen, for Georgetown.

FOREIGN PORTS.

QUEBEC, April 28.—The steam-ship Sarmatian, from Liverpool and Londonderry, with 70 cabin and 607 steerage passengers, arr. at Indian Cove, Quebec, this morning.

The clipper schr. Speedy, Capt. Asselin, from Gaspe Tuesday, 21st inst., has also arr. at Indian Cove. She reports having spoken the schr. Magdalen, of Point de Monts; a bark off the Pilgrims, which seemed to be water-logged; pilot schr. No. 3 off St. Jean, Port Joli, and encountered no ice until nearing L'Islet yesterday.

The bark Marchioness, of Queensbury, on her way up from Winter quarters at Reviere du Loup, ran aground about a mile from shore.

HAVANA, April 28.—Steamers City of New-York and Moro Castle, from New-York, arr. here this morning.

LATEST SHIPPING NEWS BY CABLE.

LONDON, April 28.—Sld. for the United States, Republic, Lada, Ada, Colorado, and Hebe.

Arr. out from the United States on the 28th inst., Mary Evans, Feros, Vibilia, Howard, Carrier Dove, Redowa, Lilian, Chloe, and C. E. Jayne.

Also arr. out from the United States, Belle of Devon, Sloga, and Gloria.

SOUTHAMPTON, April 28.—The North German Lloyds steam-ship Minister Roon, Capt. Erdmann, from New-York April 6, for Bremen, has arr. here.

QUEENSTOWN, April 28.—The White Star steam-ship Baltic, Capt. Kennedy, from New-York April 18, arr. here at 10 this evening.

BRISTOL, England, April 28.—The Great Western steam-ship Arragon sld. to-day for New-York.

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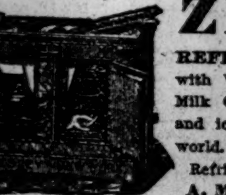

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